

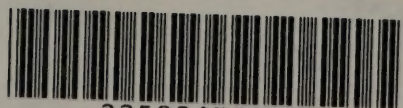






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**BIRTHS.**—The number of Births registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the year 1921 (52 weeks), was 10,888—5,580 boys and 5,308 girls—or 25·7 per 1,000 of the estimated population\* of the Registration Area, which consists of the city of Dublin and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Dun Laoghaire. The average rate for the preceding ten years was 26·5 per 1,000 of the mean population of these years.

Of the 10,888 births, 8,143 belonged to the city, affording a rate of 25·1 per 1,000 of the estimated population, 1,856 to the urban districts named above, equivalent to 18·7 per 1,000, and there were 889 births of infants whose mothers were admitted to institutions from localities outside the Registration Area. Allowing for the exclusion of the latter, the birth rate for the entire Area in 1921 was 23·6 per 1,000 of the population.

Of the 10,888 births 2,672 were registered during the first quarter, 2,984 in the second, 2,715 in the third, and 2,517 in the fourth.

In London the number of births registered during the year 1921 (52 weeks) was equal to a rate of 22·3 in every 1,000 of the estimated population; in Glasgow the rate was equal to 29·1 per 1,000; and in Edinburgh it was 22·3 per 1,000 of the population.

**DEATHS.**—The number of deaths appertaining to the Dublin Registration Area, during the year 1921 was 6,799, equivalent to 16·1 per 1,000 of the population of the Area, estimated to the middle of the year 1921. The average death-rate for the 10 years, 1911-20, was 20·7 per 1,000. Thus the rate for last year is 4·6 below the average.

The total number of deaths registered during the year, namely 7,460 (3,731 males and 3,729 females), including the deaths of 661 persons admitted to institutions from localities outside the Area, is equal to 17·6 per 1,000 of the estimated population. The average rate for all the deaths registered during the preceding 10 years was 22·3 per 1,000.

The rate for the city of Dublin was 16·8 per 1,000 (17·1 on the North side, and 16·3 on the South), and for the suburbs 13·8 per 1,000. The rates for the several districts range from 9·5 for Finglas and Glasnevin, part of, to 20·8 for the district of North City No. 1, West.

Of the 7,460 deaths in the entire Area, 2,016 were registered during the first quarter of the year, 1,782 in the second, 1,753 in the third, and 1,909 in the fourth the weekly average being 143.

**DEATHS IN PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.**—Of the 7,460 deaths, 3,392, or 45·4 per cent occurred in public institutions, viz., 2,328 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums, 1,034 in the Dublin union workhouse, and 30 (those of persons admitted from the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown union workhouse.

\* See note (\*) on page x.



iv. *Registration of Births and Deaths in the Dublin Registration Area, &c.*

UNCERTIFIED DEATHS.—In 118 cases the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness, and of these, 52, or 44·1 per cent., were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 491 infants under one month old registered, there were 34, or 6·9 per cent. regarding which the cause was uncertified.

In the eighteen principal towns outside the Dublin Registration Area, for which statistics are given in the Weekly Returns, the respective death-rates are as follows, ranging from the lowest to the highest :—Tralee, 11·3 per 1,000 of the population\* ; Lurgan, 12·7 ; Clonmel, 13·5 ; Londonderry, 13·9 ; Belfast, 14·4 ; Wexford, 14·4 ; Portadown, 14·5 ; Drogheda, 14·6 ; Waterford, 14·9 ; Sligo, 14·9 ; Lisburn, 15·2 ; Dundalk, 15·3 ; Cork, 15·4 ; Ballymena, 15·6 ; Kilkenny, 17·0 ; Limerick, 17·1 ; Newry, 17·2, and Galway, 17·9.

The number of deaths among civilians in London during the year 1921 (52 weeks) was equal to a rate of 12·4 in every 1,000 of the estimated civil population ; in Glasgow, the total deaths were equivalent to 15·1 per 1,000 of the estimated total population ; and in Edinburgh, 14·4 in every 1,000.

CAUSES OF DEATH IN DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

The records of last year show that the total number of deaths from the principal epidemic diseases † registered in the Dublin Registration Area was 622, affording a rate of 1·45 per 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with 840 deaths and a rate of 2·07 per 1,000 for the ten years, 1911-20. See Table III.

Deaths from *enteric fever* numbered 10, or 31 under the average for the preceding 10 years ; deaths from *typhus* 2, or, one below the average ; deaths from *measles*, 44, or 115 below the average ; deaths from *scarlet fever*, 13, or 23 below the average ; deaths from *whooping-cough*, 23, or 99 below the average ; deaths from *diphtheria*, 67, or 3 above the average ; deaths from *influenza*, 99, or 210 under the average ; deaths from *dysentery*, 9, being identical with the average for the preceding 10 years ; deaths from *diarrhoea and enteritis* of children under 2 years of age amounted to 440, being 56 above the average ; *cerebro-spinal fever* caused 3 deaths, being 3 below the average ; deaths from *tuberculosis* numbered 988 (*pulmonary* 761, *other forms*, 227), equivalent to a rate of 2·34 per 1,000 of the population, and were 407 (or nearly 30 per cent.) below the average for the preceding 10 years ; *cancer* caused 507 deaths, or 10 above the average, the rate per 1,000 of the population being 1·20 ; deaths from *pneumonia* numbered 612 (*broncho-pneumonia*, 302, *lobar* 71, and *pneumonia*, type not distinguished 239), being 139 below the average, and affording an annual rate of 1·45 per 1,000 of the population ; *bronchitis* caused 687 deaths or 296 below the average, the rate per 1,000 of the population being 1·62.

Deaths caused by *violence*, comprised 209 assigned to accident, 121 to homicide, 11 to suicide and 10 to execution. In all 351 deaths were referred to *violence*, being 104 above the average for the 10 years preceding.

TABLE I.—The NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated during the YEAR 1921 (52 weeks), in the principal Dublin Hospitals in which cases of infectious diseases are received.

DISEASES.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous year.	No. admitted during year.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of period.
Enteric Fever, ... ..	13	92	84	8	13
Typhus ... ..	3	18	19	2	—
Small-pox ... ..	—	—	—	—	—
Measles ... ..	1	208	181	6	22
Scarlet Fever ... ..	73	537	561	13	36†
Diphtheria ... ..	40	481	420	64	37
Pneumonia ... ..	32	368	314	53	33

\* See note (\*) on page x.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

‡ Exclusive of 18 patients in Beneavin, the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



## AGES AT DEATH.

Of the 7,460 deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the year, 1,953, or 26·2 per cent, were those of children under 5 years of age, and 1,869, or 25·1 per cent., were those of persons aged 65 years and upwards, including the deaths of 831 persons aged 75 years and upwards, of whom 41 were stated to be nonagenarians, and 5 (females) were reported to have been aged 100, 100, 100, 102, and 103 years, respectively.

The rate represented by deaths of children under 5 years of age during the year 1921 was 44·9 per 1,000 of the population at this age-period, as compared with an average of 60·3 for the 10 preceding years; the rate per 1,000 for deaths of children aged 5 and under 15 years for 1921 was 3·6, and the average for the preceding 10 years 5·5; for deaths of persons between 15 and 25 years, the rate per 1,000 in 1921 was 5·7, the average rate for the preceding ten years being 6·6; among persons aged 25 and under 45 years, the death rate in 1921 was 8·7 per 1,000 of the population at these ages, as against an average of 11·6 per 1,000 for the preceding ten years; the rate for deaths in 1921 of persons between 45 and 65 years was 27·5, as compared with an average of 33·4; deaths of persons aged 65 and under 75 in 1921 were represented by a rate of 57·9 per 1,000, as against an average of 70·3; and among persons aged 75 years and upwards the death-rate in 1921 was 139·8 per 1,000 of the estimated population, the corresponding average rate for the ten preceding years being 152·1 per 1,000.

## INFANT MORTALITY.

Excluding 889 births and 64 deaths of infants in institutions relating to residents of localities situated outside the Dublin Registration Area, the infant mortality rate (deaths of infants under one year of age per 1,000 births) for the year 1921 was 134. In 1920 it was 143, as compared with 141 in 1919, and 149 in 1918.

In 1921, the infant mortality rate for the City of Dublin was 143 per 1,000; for Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, 71; for Pembroke, 99; for Blackrock, 87; and for Dun Laoghaire, 119 per 1,000.

Basing the rate of infant mortality on the total number of births and deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area, it is found that in 1921 the rate was 129 per 1,000 births, in comparison with 138 in 1920, 135 in 1919, 143 in 1918, and an average of 147 per 1,000 births registered during the ten years, 1911-20.

## PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS.

Reference is made to the mortality from all causes in relation to these areas on page IV. The respective death-rates per 1,000 of the population represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases\* registered during the year (exclusive of deaths in institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas) in the eighteen principal town districts, outside the Dublin Registration Area, are as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest (See Tables VI and VII):—Lurgan, 0·2; Drogheda, 0·2; Sligo, 0·1; Clonmel, 0·3; Tralee, 0·5; Galway, 0·7; Lisburn, 0·7; Kilkenny, 0·8; Portadown, 0·9; Londonderry, 1·0; Ballymena, 1·0; Waterford, 1·3; Belfast, 1·4; Cork, 1·4; Newry, 1·4; Wexford, 1·5; Dundalk, 1·7; Limerick, 2·0.

ENTERIC FEVER.—Included in the 33 deaths from this cause recorded for the 18 towns are 15 appertaining to Belfast, 5 to Dundalk and 4 to each of Cork and Tralee.

TYPHUS.—The 5 deaths include 3 for Belfast and one for each of Cork and Galway.

MEASLES.—Of 18 deaths from this cause 17 belonged to Belfast.

SCARLET FEVER.—The 40 deaths recorded include 12 for Limerick, 11 for Belfast, 8 for Wexford, and 6 for Ballymena.

WHOOPING-COUGH.—Of 245 deaths returned as from whooping-cough, 222 appertained to Belfast and 9 to Newry.

\* See note (†) on page iv.



vi. *Registration of Births and Deaths in the Dublin Registration Area, &c.*

DIPHTHERIA.—Included in the 155 deaths appertaining to the 18 towns, 56 were recorded for Cork, 41 for Limerick, 31 for Belfast, 7 for Londonderry, and 6 for Kilkenny.

DIARRHŒAL DISEASES.—Among the deaths under this heading are 407 of children under 2 years of age from diarrhoea and enteritis, 246 of which belonged to Belfast, 42 to Cork, 27 to Waterford, 25 to Londonderry and 21 to Limerick.

INFLUENZA.—The 98 deaths from this cause include 52 recorded for Belfast, 13 for Limerick, and 12 for Londonderry.

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS.—The number of deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis recorded for the eighteen urban districts amounted to 1,187, equivalent to a rate of 1.65 per 1,000 of their aggregate population. For the Dublin Registration Area the rate was 1.68 per 1,000 of the estimated population. The deaths for Belfast represent a rate of 1.61 per 1,000 of the estimated population. For the remaining seventeen urban districts the mortality from pulmonary tuberculosis was equivalent to 1.50 per 1,000 of their population.

NOTIFICATIONS OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

RETURNS of the number of cases of Infectious Diseases notified under the "Infectious Diseases (Notification) Act, 1889," and the "Tuberculosis Prevention (Ireland) Act, 1908," as furnished by the respective sanitary authorities, are set forth in the following table:—

TABLE II.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz.:— the City of Dublin and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Dun Laoghaire), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the year 1921 (52 weeks). A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the district.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Population.*	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Infectious Pneumonia.	Cerebro spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis	Total
CITY OF DUBLIN ...	324,000	56	17	1	.	.	—	247	—	269	80	—	7	—	27	4	.	217	4	.	527	1,456
RATHMINES & RATHGAR URBAN DISTRICT ...	41,100	2	.	.	.	.	—	79	—	35	8	—	.	—	.	.	.	16	.	.	—	140
PEMBROKE URBAN DIST.	30,800	2	.	.	.	.	7	75	1	21	6	.	1	—	.	.	.	8	1	..	3	125
BLACKROCK URBAN DIST.	9,800	3	.	.	.	.	2	18	—	6	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	31
DUN LAOGHAIRE U. D.	17,300	2	.	.	.	.	—	20	—	16	4	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	9	51
CITY OF BELFAST ...	420,000	123	10	7	.	4	—	786	—	414	64	—	14	—	.	.	.	51	7	.	1001	2496†
CITY OF CORK ...	76,673	20	.	1	.	1	1	16	—	540	17	—	4	105	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	705
CITY OF LONDONDERRY	45,000	8	.	.	.	.	—	116	—	41	4	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	169
CITY OF LIMERICK ...	38,518	1	.	1	.	.	—	78	—	155	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	236
CITY OF WATERFORD ...	27,464	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	5

\* See note (\*) on page x.  
† Including 13 cases of Ophthalmia Neonatorum and 2 cases of Encephalitis Lethargica.







TABLE IV.—Showing for the year 1921 (52 weeks) the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRAR'S DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		AGES AT DEATH.											DEATHS.										Institutions. Hospitals. Lunatic Asylums.	Workhouse. Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
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TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the year 1921 (52 weeks) and the Annual Death Rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS ... ..	397,957	—	7,460
	CLASSES.			
	Deaths in the Families of —			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	240
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	1,550
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	1,543
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	3,063
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	1,064
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.			
	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	16.4	215
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		6
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		19
II.	MIDDLE CLASS.			
	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	15.2	130
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		346
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		459
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		615
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.			
	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	14.2	156
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		377
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		187
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		86
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		669
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		68
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.			
	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery, and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	18.3	400
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		298
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		227
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		2,138
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.			
	18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	1,064



TABLE VI.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the YEAR 1921 (52 weeks) in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA and in each of the undermentioned Eighteen URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Births and Deaths in Public Institutions relating to persons admitted from other Districts), with the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, also the number of Uncertified Deaths.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		CENSUS STATISTICS OF DISTRICTS.		REGISTRATION YEAR, 1921 (52 WEEKS).																	DEATHS.																
		POPULATION.		ANNUAL RATE PER 1,000 PERSONS REPRESENTED BY		NUMBERS REGISTERED.																	CAUSED BY														
				PERSONS TO AN ACRE.	Total* (1)	(2)	(3)	DEATHS		(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	Tuberculosis.		Cancer	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of 3 years or age.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Unrecorded Deaths.				
From All Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Pulmonary	Other Forms					Pneumonia.	Other.																												

\* The population given for the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and for the cities of Belfast and Londonderry, is that estimated to the middle of 1921; that for each of the other districts is the population according to the Census of 1911.

† See note (†) on page iv.

‡ Including 3 deaths from cerebro-spinal fever recorded for Dublin, and 3 for Belfast.



TABLE VII.—Showing by REGISTRAR'S DISTRICTS the Number of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK registered during the YEAR 1921 (52 weeks), Deaths in Public Institutions from *without each City being omitted*, and all other Deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the Population according to the Census of 1911 represented by the Deaths from all Causes and from Certain Epidemic Diseases†; the number of Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the number of UNCERTIFIED DEATHS, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRAR'S DISTRICTS.	Census Population in 1911	No. of BIRTHS	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Pop- ulation in 1911, represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM														No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13, and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death rate from all causes, 14.4 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases, 1.7.

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 20·1 and 19·9 ; Dublin Registration Area, 17·1 and 20·5 ; Dublin City, 17·4 and 21·3 ; Belfast, 19·5 and 18·4 ; Cork, 26·5 and 24·6 ; Londonderry, 22·0 and 19·1 ; Limerick, 27·1 and 18·0 ; and Waterford 32·3 and 26·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·4 per 1,000. Among the 157 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 7 from diarrhoeal diseases and 3 from influenza. The 39 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from enteric fever, 3 from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea. Of the 19 deaths from all causes for Londonderry, one is from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. One of the 20 deaths from all causes for Limerick is from diphtheria, and 2 are from influenza. Included in the 11 deaths from all causes for Portadown is one from diphtheria, and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Wexford is from scarlet fever.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 248—130 boys and 118 girls—and the deaths to 150—79 males and 71 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·1 per 1,000 of the population, the rate for the total deaths registered in the Area being 18·5.

Included in the 139 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from enteric fever, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, one from croup, 4 from diarrhoeal diseases, 4 from influenza, and one from encephalitis lethargica.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from enteric fever, were 0, 0, and one ; deaths from whooping-cough were 4, 0, and one ; deaths from diphtheria one, 0, and one ; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases 8, 6, and 2 ; and deaths from influenza 5, 0, and 4.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 13, 16, and 20, in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

Four deaths from accidental violence were registered, one of which was caused by scalds, and 8 deaths were attributed to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to tuberculous meningitis, 4 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, one to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Thirty-six of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 139 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 8th January, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 18·4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·1, and for Edinburgh 16·9.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 8th January. From this Report it appears that of 130 cases notified, 45 were scarlet fever, 21 diphtheria, 13 pulmonary tuberculosis, 11 other forms of tuberculosis, 13 chicken-pox, 12 erysipelas, 9 acute primary pneumonia, 4 acute influenzal pneumonia, one enteric fever, and one malaria. Among the 804 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 315 of scarlet fever, 220 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, 152 of diphtheria, 31 of venereal disease, 24 of measles, 16 of erysipelas, 4 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 4 of whooping-cough, 4 of enteric fever, 2 of chicken-pox, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of membranous croup, and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 8th January, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 18	.	1	.	.	—	—	4	—	8	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	3	.	.	8	26
	Dec. 25	1	1	.	.	—	—	5	—	8	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	20
	Jan. 1	.	.	1	.	—	—	7	—	13	6	—	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	3	42
	Jan. 8	2	.	.	.	—	—	7	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	27
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 18	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	2
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Kingstown Urban District	Dec. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	1
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
City of Belfast	Dec. 18	1	.	3	.	—	—	29	—	5	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	14	52
	Dec. 25	2	10	3	.	—	—	25	—	11	4	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	66
	Jan. 1	2	6	.	.	—	—	8	—	3	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	16	37
	Jan. 8	1	.	1	.	—	—	15	—	14	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	29	63
City of Cork	Dec. 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	19	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	21a
	Dec. 25	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	14	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15b
	Jan. 1	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	11
	Jan. 8	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	13	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	17b
City of Londonderry	Dec. 18	.	.	.	.	—	—	5	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	—	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	—	—	5	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	—	—	10	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	10
City of Limerick	Dec. 18	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	6	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	3	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Dec. 18	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.

(a) Not including 2 cases of varicella. (b) Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 8th January, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever 3 and 15; typhus nil and 2; measles nil and one; scarlet fever 14 and 69,\* and diphtheria 16 and 47. Twelve cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 36 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of enteric fever and pneumonia, and 4 were from diphtheria.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS AND DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 8th January, 1921, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.			POPULATION.		REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 8TH JANUARY, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																																		
					BIRTHS.					DEATHS.					NUMBERS REGISTERED.																																		
					Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by					Caused by					WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 8TH JANUARY, 1921.																																		
					DEATHS.					Deaths.					Air Temperature.																																		
Total (a)		Per-sons to an Acre.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	TOTAL NUMBER.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respira-tory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.		Absolute Lowest.		Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.								
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS			1,183,268	20·7	30·5	20·1	1·4	693	455	79	128	3											10	49	13	29	31	54	11	3	25	141	16																
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA			423,000	30·3	30·6	17·1	1·1	248	139	22	34	2											4	13	5	12	15	15	3	1	12	10	49	5	(d)	55·3	32·0	52·4	37·6	45·0	0·61								
CITY OF DUBLIN			324,000	39·7	34·1	17·4	1·0	212	108	20	22	2											2	11	2	5	12	12	2		11	10	42	5	(e)	53·4	37·4	52·8	41·4	47·1	0·43								
RATHMINES and RATHGAR			41,100	24·0	17·8	16·5		14	13	1	6												1	2	1			1																					
Pembroke			30,800	19·6	22·0	18·6	5·1	13	11		4												1					2	1																				
Blackrock			9,806	9·0	10·6	10·6		2	2																																								
Kingstown			17,300	11·8	27·1	15·1		9	5	1	2																																						
Urban Districts.																																																	
Belfast			420,000	28·1	30·3	19·5	1·4	244	157	33	43												3	16	6	15	11	18	6	1	10	11	42	2															
Cork			76,673	28·6	25·8	26·5	3·4	38	39	6	5	1												8	1	2	3	6	1																				
Londonderry			45,000	17·4	38·2	22·0	2·3	33	19	3	6													6	1	1	2	2	7	1																			
Limerick			38,518	16·1	40·0	27·1	1·4	34	20	4	5													1	1	2	1	2	1																				
Waterford			27,464	19·1	33·0	32·3	1·9	20	17	5	9													1	1	2	1	2	1																				
Galway			13,255	2·5				3	3	3	1													1																									
Dundalk			13,128	9·5				7	2																																								
Lurgan			12,503	14·7				5	5	1	4																																						
Drogheda			12,501	8·4				6	6	1	4																																						
Lisburn			12,388	10·9				6	6	1	4																																						
Newry			11,963	17·0				8	3	1	3																																						
Portadown			11,727	15·3				9	3	3	1																																						
Wexford			11,531	22·8				8	8	4	3																																						
Ballymena			11,381	9·3				4	5	4	1																																						
Sligo			11,163	3·8				6	4	1	3																																						
Kilkeny			10,514	11·4				1	4		3																																						
Tralee			10,300	17·4				10	4		1																																						
Clonmel			10,209	7·8				2	7																																								
LONDON			4,531,971	—	—	12·9	—	2,373	1,117	178	386												—	84	21	102	141	113	17	5	40	93	541	1															
EDINBURGH			446,200	—	—	16·9	—	227	145	20	54												14						1	1	7	—	—	—	—														
GLASGOW			1,100,400	—	—	18·1	—	646	392	72	78												4						6	16	—	—	—	—	—														

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.







registered in the FIRST WEEK, ending Saturday, 8th January, 1921, with the average deaths from the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 1st Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 8th January, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0—5.				5—10.	10—15.	15—20.	20—25.	25—35.	35—45.	45—55.	55—65.	65—75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1—2.	2—5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ...	2.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	2.6	3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.6	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2
Cirrhosis of Liver ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis ...	.2	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2
Chronic Bright's Disease	5.0	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	3
Urinary Calculi ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	2.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	.2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Premature Birth ...	4.0	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Congenital Debility ...	4.2	5	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
Old Age ...	9.6	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	5
Other Specified Diseases	1.6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ...	1.0	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Drowning ...	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed ...	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ...	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ships, Boats, Docks ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths ...	1.6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	3
Not included in above—																	
Homicide ...	.2	9	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	3	3	.	.	.	.	8
Suicide ...	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ...	3.4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	3





TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 8th January, 1921; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 8TH JANUARY, 1921.																																
CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. (The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	AGES.								CAUSES OF DEATH.												Violence.	Other Causes.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.					
					Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Convulsions.				Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea & Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	
																					Pulmonary.	Other Forms.						Pneumonia.	Other.			
I.	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	150	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)
II.	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																															
III.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.	14,658	14.2	4																												
IV.	MIDDLE CLASS	101,798	19.5	38																												
V.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.	108,420	13.9	29																												
	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS	167,479	18.1	58																												
	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.	5,602	—	21																												
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																															
	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments	7,868	—	4																												
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class	1,347	—																													
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	5,443	—																													
II.	MIDDLE CLASS.																															
	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Servants, Banking, &c.	9,523	—	3																												
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.	25,199	—	11																												
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants	33,249	—	13																												
III.	Miscellaneous—including all Household-holders in Second Class Localities not included in above	33,827	—	11																												
	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.																															
	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers	11,777	—	4																												
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades	28,823	—	9																												
	10. Clothing Trades	20,026	—	3																												
	11. Food Supply Trades	8,952	—																													
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades	32,070	—	11																												
IV.	Petty Shopkeepers	6,772	—	2																												
	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.																															
	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.	12,977	—	8																												
	15. Domestic Servants	36,041	—	5																												
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c.	15,380	—	4																												
V.	Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.	103,081	—	41																												
	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.	5,602	—	21																												
	18. Workhouse inmates																															

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
WEEK ENDING	Oct. 16.	Oct. 23.	Oct. 30.	Nov. 6.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Oct. 16.	Oct. 23.	Oct. 30.	Nov. 6.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.
No. of weeks in Annual Series ..	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1
Births registered ..	224	184	213	177	245	188	223	162	194	153	154	162	248	180	203	193	198	256	195	201	152	179	207	180	279	244
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	196	194	155	188	197	200	183	191	178	201	168	137	211	202	200	179	183	189	171	179	182	178	179	173	150	227
Number of Deaths ..	125	120	111	117	134	152	125	116	144	161	141	214	139	102	106	89	100	112	104	111	105	118	126	136	166	157
Annual Death-rate per 1,000 ..	15.7	15.1	13.9	14.7	16.8	19.1	15.7	14.6	18.1	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	12.9	13.4	11.2	12.6	14.1	13.1	14.0	13.3	14.9	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	148	160	158	176	179	159	162	160	166	164	162	167	187	171	109	117	114	140	156	170	161	159	149	148	149	152
Ages { Under one year ..	32	23	29	19	28	36	25	24	21	28	22	31	22	23	18	22	19	24	22	28	22	23	20	29	41	33
1-5 years ..	12	9	13	15	17	16	10	13	16	13	6	10	14	5	6	2	6	9	5	7	6	7	7	12	10	12
5-25 ..	2	2	17	17	30	22	17	13	24	14	10	19	6	18	16	18	16	15	11	11	16	17	13	10	7	12
25-45 ..	17	12	19	17	30	22	17	13	24	14	16	30	37	18	14	13	11	15	21	18	13	19	20	13	24	28
45-65 ..	29	40	18	29	19	34	30	27	34	38	32	60	26	26	20	26	29	28	19	23	23	24	29	36	43	29
65 and upwards ..	33	28	27	24	30	36	36	36	41	47	55	64	34	21	32	18	19	21	26	24	25	28	37	36	41	43
Deaths from :-																										
Enteric Fever ..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	2	1	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhus ..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dysentery ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Influenza ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tuberculosis ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cancer ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diseases of Respi- ratory System ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Violent Deaths, ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Uncertified Deaths ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs. ..	53.5	57.8	56.2	52.5	55.6	55.9	50.3	51.3	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	59.0	57.1	55.7	50.8	54.3	54.2	51.5	52.1	42.7	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1
B Mean Minimum ..	48.3	44.1	33.9	41.3	45.9	44.3	32.1	36.9	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	52.2	45.7	47.3	42.5	47.7	40.5	40.9	39.4	33.4	33.4	33.1	41.7	39.7
C Mean of A and B ..	53.9	50.9	45.1	46.9	50.8	50.1	41.2	44.1	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	55.6	51.4	51.5	46.7	51.0	47.3	46.2	45.7	38.1	36.8	39.7	46.8	45.9
D Rainfall in inches ..	1.11	0.83	0.52	0.13	0.44	0.21	1.43	0.00	0.18	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	0.75	0.91	0.01	2.90	0.26	0.28	0.22	2.14	1.13	0.380	0.81	1.87	1.00



**TABLE VII.**—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 8th January, 1911, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

+ See note (+) at foot of first page.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to be in the city in the year 1921. The rates for the total of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 19.2 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 1.6.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 8th January, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
„ „ 1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
„ „ 2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2
„ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3
„ „ „ 2, ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
„ „ „ 3, ..	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	8
„ „ „ 4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	6
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	2	.	.	.	.	7	7	.	1	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	3	27

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 8th January, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 8th January.			
	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	17	15	13	3	.	1	15
Typhus, .. ..	5	5	3	.	1	.	2
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	1	1	1	.	.	.	1
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	61	62	73	14	18	.	69*
Diphtheria, .. ..	29	31	40	16	5	4	47
Pneumonia, .. ..	25	29	32	12	7	1	36

\* Exclusive of 6 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 17·8 and 19·9 ; Dublin Registration Area, 17·9 and 19·9 ; Dublin City, 19·5 and 20·9 ; Belfast, 18·1 and 19·0 ; Cork, 17·0 and 23·3 ; Londonderry, 16·2 and 19·0 ; Limerick, 16·2 and 17·3 ; and Waterford 22·8 and 26·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000. Among the 146 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from whooping-cough. The 25 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from diphtheria. Of the 3 deaths recorded for Wexford one is from scarlet fever. Included in the 8 deaths from all causes for Ballymena is one from whooping-cough, and one of the 7 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny is from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 209—95 boys and 114 girls—and the deaths to 157—67 males and 90 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·5 and was 5·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the two weeks was 19·0 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·4.

Included in the 145 deaths appertaining to the Area are 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years and 3 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 6, 2, and 3, and deaths from influenza 0, 4, and 4.

There were 18 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia, and 6 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 16, 20, and 16 in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 18 by organic diseases of the heart, and 22 by bronchitis.

Five deaths were attributed to violence of which 2 were caused by burns and one by gunshot wounds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to influenza, one to disseminated tuberculosis, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia (type not distinguished), 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 2 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 45 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 145 deaths recorded, 59 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 15th January, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·6, and for Edinburgh 15·5.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 15th January. From this Report it appears that of 138 cases notified, 44 were scarlet fever, 26 diphtheria, 23 chicken-pox, 18 pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 other forms of tuberculosis, 11 acute primary pneumonia, 9 erysipelas, one acute influenzal pneumonia, and one enteric fever. Among the 813 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 316 of scarlet fever, 220 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 151 of diphtheria, 35 of venereal disease, 29 of measles, 17 of erysipelas, 5 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 5 of enteric fever, 4 of whooping-cough, one of chicken-pox, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of membranous croup, and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 15th January, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 25	1	1	.	.	.	.	5	—	2	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	1	20
	Jan. 1	2	.	1	.	.	.	7	—	13	6	—	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	6	42
	Jan. 8	2	.	.	.	.	.	7	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	3	27
	Jan. 15	.	2	1	.	.	.	4	—	2	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	2	.	.	19	38
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	4
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	3	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	5
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	5
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	1
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
City of Belfast	Dec. 25	2	10	3	.	.	.	25	—	11	4	—	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	10	66
	Jan. 1	2	6	.	.	.	.	8	—	3	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	37
	Jan. 8	1	.	1	.	.	.	15	—	14	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	29	63
	Jan. 15	5	2	2	.	.	.	15	—	12	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	34	72
City of Cork	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15a
	Jan. 1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	11
	Jan. 8	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	13	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	17a
	Jan. 15	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	16	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	20
City of Londonderry	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3
City of Limerick	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3
	Jan. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1
City of Waterford	Dec. 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
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(a) Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 15th January, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever 3 and 17; typhus 4 and 4; measles one and 2; scarlet fever 6 and 61,\* and diphtheria 5 and 44. Seven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 34 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of typhus and diphtheria, and 2 were from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 15th January, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS			1,183,268	20.7	27.2	17.8	0.5	617	403	75	123	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	.	4	28	11	21	39	66	6	.	10	14	133	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page; of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markec for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 2nd Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 15th January, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	163·2	157	8	19	2	2	1	3	3	4	9	17	18	23	32	16	145
Enteric Fever ..	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	2·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	1·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diphtheria ..	·2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Croup ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	2·2	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
Dysentery ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Erysipelas ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	14·8	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	4	.	2	.	.	10
Tuberculous Meningitis	1·8	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Abdominal Tuberculosis	·6	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1·0	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
VENEREAL DISEASES.																	
Veneral Diseases ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cancer ..	7·6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	2	1	5
Tumour, situation undefined.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diabetes ..	·8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other General Diseases	2·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Alcoholism ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER.																	
Simple Meningitis ..	2·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Apoplexy.	7·4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	.	4
Softening of Brain ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	2·6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Epilepsy ..	1·0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	4·0	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	2·0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2
PERICARDITIS.																	
Pericarditis ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Endocarditis ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	16·2	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	3	6	5	1	18
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	2·0	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	3
DISEASES OF THE LARYNX.																	
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Bronchitis ..	22·8	22	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	22
Broncho-pneumonia ..	7·2	9	.	4	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	7	9	9
Lobar pneumonia ..	1·6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	3
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	5·6	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	6
Pleurisy ..	1·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Pulmonary Congestion.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	1·0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1



registered in the SECOND WEEK, ending Saturday, 15th January, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.		Average number of deaths in 2nd Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 15th January, 1921.													Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)		
			All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
				0—5.				5—10.	10—15.	15—20.	20—25.	25—35.	35—45.	45—55.	55—65.		65—75.	75 and upwards.
				Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1—2.	2—5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diseases of Stomach ..	1·8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	2·4	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	·2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	1·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1·4	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	4	
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	1·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Liver	1·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	1·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Acute Nephritis ..	·4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.	4	
Chronic Bright's Disease	6·2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	2	
Urinary Calculi ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	·8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	·2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1·4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Diseases of Locomotor System.	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Congenital Malformations.	1·0	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Premature Birth ..	4·0	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Congenital Debility ..	5·2	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Old Age ..	7·6	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	4	8	
Other Specified Diseases	2·0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	
VIOLENCE.																		
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Burns and Scalds ..	1·0	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	
Drowning ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Railways ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Vehicles and Horses ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	·2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Other Violent Deaths ..	·8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	
Not included in above—																		
Homicide .. ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	
Suicide .. ..	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Execution .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	2·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	

ANNUAL	DEATHS,
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2044	1,000

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	COLS.	MORTALITY PER 1,000		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY												IN INSTITUTIONS.																				
		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1921.	LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.		Other.	Diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse.	Number of Unidentified Deaths.			
																					FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*		Pulmonary.	Other Forms.										Pneumonia.	Diseases of Respiratory System.	
North City.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
North City, No. 1, E.	...	31,300	26.7	1.7	16	5	.	.	.	1	2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	1	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	
" " 1, W.	...	42,900	20.7	.	17	5	.	.	.	3	6	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	4	3	.		
" " 2	...	28,700	18.2	.	10	3	.	.	.	3	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	1	4	3		
" " 3	...	35,600	13.2	.	9	2	1	.	1	.	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	4	2	.	.	.	.	2	2	3		
LONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	...	5,700	9.1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.		
DOOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of ...	...	14,200	18.4	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
INGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of ...	...	11,600	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
South City.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
South City, No. 1	...	44,900	20.9	.	18	3	.	.	.	1	3	5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	5	1	
" " 2 <sup>1</sup>	...	18,900	8.3	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
" " 3 <sup>4</sup>	...	45,200	25.4	.	22	1	.	1	1	1	3	5	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	.	.	.	1	4	7	1	
" " 4	...	34,200	25.9	3.0	17	2	1	1	1	.	3	5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	7	1	
TOW KILMAINHAM	...	10,800	14.5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Urban Districts.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
ATHINES AND RATEGAR ...	...	41,100	12.7	.	10	1	.	.	1	2	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	6	3	1	.		
EMERROKE ...	...	30,800	18.6	.	11	1	.	.	1	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	3	.		
BLACKROCK ...	...	9,800	16.0	5.3	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
INGSTOWN ...	...	17,300	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
TOTAL CITY.	North	170,000	17.8	0.3	58	17	.	.	1	1	10	18	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	1	3	6	11	.	.	.	.	30	.	11	11	1	
	South	151,000	21.3	0.7	63	6	1	1	2	2	9	17	25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	1	7	14	.	.	.	.	4	29	3	14	16	3
North and South		321,000	19.5	0.5	121	23	1	1	3	3	19	35	33	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	3	4	13	25	.	.	.	.	4	59	3	25	27	4
Total Urban Districts	...	99,000	12.6	0.5	24	4	.	.	1	1	5	4	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	5	1	.	.	.	1	11	1	6	1	.	
Total Registration Area	...	423,000	17.9	0.5	145	27	1	1	4	4	24	39	45	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	10	4	5	18	26	.	.	.	5	70	4	31	28	4	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).		...	...	...	12	.	1	1	.	3	2	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	5	3	9	3	.	



TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 15th January, 1921; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Unidentified Deaths.

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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

		Dublin Registration Area.														Belfast City.													
WEEK ENDING		Oct. 23.	Oct. 30.	Nov. 6.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Oct. 23.	Oct. 30.	Nov. 6.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.		
No. of weeks in Annual Series		42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2		
Births registered		184	213	177	245	188	223	162	194	153	154	162	248	209	203	193	198	256	195	201	152	179	207	180	279	244	243		
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years		194	185	188	197	200	183	191	178	201	168	137	211	223	200	179	183	189	171	179	182	178	179	173	150	227	203		
Number of Deaths		120	111	117	134	152	125	116	144	161	141	214	139	145	106	89	100	112	104	111	105	118	126	136	166	157	146		
Annual Death-rate per 1,000		15.1	13.9	14.7	16.8	19.1	15.7	14.6	18.1	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	13.4	11.2	12.6	14.1	13.1	14.0	13.3	14.9	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1		
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years		160	158	176	179	159	162	160	166	164	162	167	187	170	109	117	114	140	156	170	161	159	149	148	149	152	158		
Ages		23	29	19	28	36	25	24	21	28	22	31	22	27	18	22	19	24	22	28	22	23	20	29	41	33	30		
Under one year		8	5	13	10	8	10	3	6	13	6	10	14	2	6	2	6	9	5	7	6	7	7	12	10	12	14		
1-5 years		9	13	15	17	16	7	13	18	14	10	19	6	8	16	8	16	15	11	11	16	17	13	10	7	12	8		
5-25 "		12	19	17	30	22	17	13	24	21	16	30	37	24	14	13	11	15	21	18	13	19	20	13	24	28	11		
25-45 "		40	18	29	19	34	30	27	34	38	32	60	26	39	20	26	29	28	19	23	23	24	29	36	43	29	39		
45-65 "		28	27	24	30	36	36	41	47	55	55	64	34	45	32	18	19	21	26	24	25	28	37	36	41	43	38		
65 and upwards																													
Deaths from:—																													
Enteric Fever		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Typhus		2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Small-pox		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Measles		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Scarlet Fever		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Whooping-cough		2	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Diphtheria		2	1	2	2	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Dysentery		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Influenza		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
{ Pulmonary		10	15	9	22	18	7	9	22	9	13	18	13	10	9	4	12	16	9	14	10	16	20	9	15	16	12		
{ Other Forms		5	3	4	6	5	5	4	5	4	3	2	3	4	1	1	1	2	2	2	5	2	4	2	3	6	3		
Cancer		6	5	6	6	5	11	7	6	5	5	15	5	5	4	7	4	9	8	7	9	6	9	11	15	7	7		
Diseases of Respi- ratory System		6	5	11	13	17	8	9	10	16	12	27	12	18	4	4	9	8	7	9	6	11	7	10	20	11	14		
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years		17	10	16	19	19	11	18	24	28	29	32	15	26	16	3	10	15	10	11	13	12	14	21	22	18	25		
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards		8	8	4	3	9	6	4	4	7	6	2	3	4	6	4	4	5	1	5	6	3	2	3	2	6	1		
Violent Deaths,		1	7	4	6	2	6	4	6	1	3	8	12	5	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	6	1	1	10	2	6		
Number of Uncertified Deaths		4	4	4	5	5	3	3	8	5	2	8	5	4	2	2	2	3	3	2	1	1	2	5	4	2	2		
A Mean Maximum Temperature in dogs.		57.8	56.2	52.5	55.6	55.9	50.3	51.3	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	57.1	55.7	50.8	54.3	54.2	51.5	52.1	42.7	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8		
B Mean Minimum		44.1	33.9	41.3	45.9	44.3	32.1	36.9	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	45.7	47.3	42.5	47.7	40.5	40.9	39.4	33.4	33.1	41.7	39.7	37.8	37.8		
Mean of A and B		50.9	45.1	46.9	50.8	50.1	41.2	44.1	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	51.4	51.5	46.7	51.0	47.3	46.2	45.7	38.1	36.8	46.8	45.9	42.8	42.8		
Rainfall in inches		0.83	0.52	0.13	0.44	0.21	1.43	0.60	0.18	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.91	0.01	2.90	0.26	0.28	0.22	2.14	1.13	0.38	0.81	1.87	1.00	1.88		



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 15th January, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of Mortality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM										No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.											
			All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.	Under 1 year.						Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM			Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.								
						Under 1 year.	5 and under 5 years.														Typhus.	Small-pox.		Measles.					Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Pneumonia.	Other.
							1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 5 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.																										
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)							
CITY OF BELFAST.																																					
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.	15,879	7	42.7	.	13	5	1	1	3	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	2	4	1						
Do. 2	49,500	30	13.7	.	13	1	1	1	1	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	5	.	.	.	1	4	6						
Do. 3	50,032	39	21.9	.	21	3	1	1	1	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	1	.	.	.	1	6	2						
Do. 4	32,637	18	35.1	.	22	10	1	1	1	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	7	3						
Do. 5	16,112	21	35.6	.	11	4	.	.	1	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	6	2						
Do. 6	37,293	25	12.6	.	9	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	7	3						
Do. 7	2,681	1	38.9	.	2	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	3	1						
Do. 8	5,964	1	8.7	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1						
Do. 9	24,427	14	10.7	.	5	2	1	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	2	1						
Do. 10	28,958	15	16.2	.	9	1	1	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1						
Do. 11	—	15	—	—	9	1	2	1	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1						
Do. 12	—	14	—	—	9	2	1	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1						
Do. 13	—	14	—	—	9	1	2	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1						
Do. 14	175	11	13.8	.	6	1	2	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1						
Do. 15	22,669	11	—	—	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1						
Do. 16	—	18	—	—	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1						
Total,	386,947	243	18.1	0.2	146	30	8	17	39	38	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	12	3	7	14	25	.	.	.	2	5	42	6						
CITY OF CORK.																																					
CORK URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.	13,455	7	19.4	.	5	1	.	2	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	4	3						
Do. 2	10,399	6	20.1	5.3	5	.	1	1	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	4	4						
Do. 3	9,793	6	26.6	.	5	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	2						
Do. 4	9,139	6	5.7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	2	2						
Do. 5	6,250	5	8.3	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	2	2						
Do. 6	11,581	3	22.5	.	5	1	.	1	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	2	2						
Do. 7	16,056	13	13.0	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	2	2						
Total,	76,673	46	17.0	0.7	25	2	1	4	7	8	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	4	1	5	.	.	.	1	1	14	1						

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 17.6 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 1.0.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 15th January, 1921

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	5
„ „ 1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3
„ „ 2, ..	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	7	10
„ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
„ „ „ 2, ..	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5
„ „ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	4
„ „ „ 4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2
Total, ..	.	2	1	.	.	4	8	.	1	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	19	38

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 15th January, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 15th January.			
	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	15	13	15	3	1	.	17
Typhus, .. ..	5	3	2	4	1	1	4
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	1	1	1	1	.	.	2
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	62	73	69	6	14	.	61*
Diphtheria, .. ..	31	40	47	5	7	1	44
Pneumonia, .. ..	29	32	36	7	7	2	34

\* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 17·6 and 20·0; Dublin Registration Area, 16·6 and 19·6; Dublin City, 16·7 and 20·2; Belfast, 18·5 and 19·3; Cork, 15·6 and 22·8; Londonderry, 11·6 and 18·7; Limerick, 25·7 and 21·3; and Waterford, 17·1 and 28·0.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 149 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from typhus, 2 from measles, 6 from whooping-cough, and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 23 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from diphtheria. Of the 19 deaths recorded for Limerick one is from diphtheria, and one of the 10 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny is also due to this disease.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 201—115 boys and 86 girls—and the deaths to 143—70 males and 73 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·2 and was 5·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the three weeks was 18·5 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·5.

Included in the 135 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from each of typhus, whooping-cough, diphtheria, and diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years and one from encephalitis lethargica.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were one, one, and 0; deaths from diphtheria, one, 2, and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 3, and 4. No death from typhus was registered during the preceding 3 weeks.

There were 14 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 8 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from disseminated tuberculo- is) as against 20, 16, and 14 in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

One death was attributed to accidental violence, and there was one case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to tetanus, one to pulmonary tuberculosis, 5 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 6 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia (type not distinguished), 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 39 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 28 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 135 deaths recorded, 60 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 22nd January, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·6, and for Edinburgh 17·5.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 22nd January. From this Report it appears that of 152 cases notified, 45 were scarlet fever, 31 diphtheria, 24 pulmonary tuberculosis, 13 other forms of tuberculosis, 15 chicken-pox, 10 acute primary pneumonia, 9 erysipelas, 2 enteric fever, one puerperal fever, one ophthalmia neonatorum, and one malaria. Among the 810 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 309 of scarlet fever, 217 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 163 of diphtheria, 34 of measles, 33 of venereal disease, 16 of erysipelas, 5 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 5 of enteric fever, 5 of whooping-cough, one of chicken-pox, one of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 22nd January, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 1	1	2	1	—	—	—	7	—	13	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	6	42
	Jan. 8	8	2	—	—	—	—	7	—	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	3	27
	Jan. 15	15	—	1	—	—	—	4	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	12	—	—	19	38
	Jan. 22	1	4	—	—	—	—	4	—	5	4	—	—	—	1	—	—	5	1	—	8	32
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	2
	Jan. 8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	4
	Jan. 15	15	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	5
	Jan. 22	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 8	8	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Jan. 15	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 22	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Jan. 8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 15	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
	Jan. 22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kingstown Urban District	Jan. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 15	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
City of Belfast	Jan. 1	1	2	6	—	—	—	8	—	3	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	16	37
	Jan. 8	8	1	—	1	—	—	15	—	14	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	29	63
	Jan. 15	15	5	2	—	—	—	15	—	12	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	34	72
	Jan. 22	3	—	—	—	—	—	27	—	6	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	21	60
City of Cork	Jan. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11
	Jan. 8	8	1	—	—	—	—	3	—	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17 <sup>a</sup>
	Jan. 15	15	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20
	Jan. 22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7
City of Londonderry	Jan. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6
	Jan. 8	8	—	—	—	—	—	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10
	Jan. 15	15	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3
	Jan. 22	—	—	—	—	—	—	9	—	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	12
City of Limerick	Jan. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 15	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Jan. 22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Jan. 1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
	Jan. 8	8	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 15	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
	Jan. 22	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

(a) Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 22nd January, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 4 and 20; typhus 3 and 5; measles 3 and 4; scarlet fever 14 and 70,\* and diphtheria 10 and 43. Eleven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 34 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from typhus, 3 were from diphtheria, and 3 from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



TABLE II. — BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 22ND JANUARY, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 22ND JANUARY, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
POPULATION.		BIRTHS.			DEATHS.										WEEK ENDING 22ND JANUARY, 1921.		Air Temperature.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																		
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS.		From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.					Cancer.	Diseases of the Respira- tory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis in children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
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registered in the **THIRD WEEK**, ending Saturday, 22nd January, 1921, with the average deaths from  
of the Five Years, 1916-20.

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TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 22ND JANUARY, 1921, the number of Deaths of the several Registrars' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		DEATHS.																			In Institutions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.												
			FROM ALL CAUSES		CAUSED BY																																	
			FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*	(3)	CAUSED BY																																	
					(1)	(2)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)					(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
FROM ALL CAUSES		(3)	(1)	(2)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)			
North City.																																						
North City, No. 1, E.			31,300	15.0	.	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 1, W.			42,900	13.4	5.5	11	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 2			28,700	14.5	1.5	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 3			35,600	16.1	1.5	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of			5,700	14.7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of ...			14,200	14.7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of ...			11,600	9.0	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
South City.																																						
South City, No. 1			44,900	17.4	2.3	15	6	1	.	.	.	4	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" " 2			18,900	22.1	2.8	8	2	1	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" " 3			45,200	28.8	1.2	25	8	1	.	.	.	3	4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
" " 4			34,200	15.2	.	10	.	.	.	.	.	4	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NEW KILMAINHAM			10,800	4.8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Urban Districts.																																						
RATHINES AND RATHGAR			41,100	14.0	.	11	1	.	.	.	1	.	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE			30,800	23.7	.	14	3	.	.	.	1	.	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKBROOK			9,800	5.3	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
KINGSTOWN			17,300	15.1	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TOTAL			170,000	13.8	1.2	45	6	3	.	2	.	12	11	11	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
CITY.			154,000	20.0	1.4	59	16	2	.	2	.	13	10	16	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
North and South			324,000	16.7	1.3	104	22	5	.	4	.	25	21	27	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Total Urban Districts			99,000	16.3	.	31	6	.	.	.	.	1	10	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Total Registration Area			423,000	16.6	1.0	135	28	5	.	4	2	26	31	39	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).			8			1			.	.	3	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.



TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 22nd January, 1921; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
WEEK ENDING	Oct. 30.	Nov. 6.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Oct. 30.	Nov. 6.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.
No. of weeks in Annual Series	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3
Births registered	213	177	245	188	223	162	194	153	154	162	248	209	201	193	198	256	195	201	152	179	207	180	279	244	243	173
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	185	188	197	200	183	191	178	201	168	137	211	223	214	179	183	189	171	179	182	178	179	173	150	227	203	212
Number of Deaths	111	117	134	152	125	116	144	161	141	214	139	145	135	89	100	112	104	111	105	118	126	136	166	157	146	149
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	13.9	14.7	16.8	19.1	15.7	14.6	18.1	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	11.2	12.6	14.1	13.1	14.0	13.3	14.9	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	158	176	179	159	162	160	166	164	162	167	187	170	178	117	114	140	156	170	161	159	149	148	149	152	158	143
Under one year	29	19	28	36	25	24	21	28	22	31	22	27	28	22	19	24	22	28	22	23	20	29	41	33	30	41
1-5 years	5	13	10	8	10	3	6	13	6	10	14	2	5	2	6	9	5	7	6	7	7	12	10	12	8	13
5-25	13	15	17	16	7	13	18	14	10	19	16	8	6	8	16	15	11	11	16	17	13	10	7	12	14	15
25-45	19	17	30	22	17	13	24	21	16	30	37	24	26	13	11	15	21	18	13	19	20	13	24	28	17	17
45-65	18	29	19	34	30	27	34	38	32	60	26	39	31	26	29	28	19	23	23	24	29	36	43	29	39	28
65 and upwards	27	24	30	36	36	36	41	47	55	64	34	45	39	18	19	21	26	24	25	28	37	36	41	43	38	35
Deaths from:—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Enteric Fever	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Typhus	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Small-pox	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Measles	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Scarlet Fever	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Whooping-cough	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diphtheria	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dysentery	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Influenza	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tuberculosis	15	9	22	18	7	9	22	9	13	18	13	10	13	4	12	16	9	14	10	16	20	15	16	12	16	16
Cancer	3	4	6	5	5	4	5	4	3	2	3	4	2	1	1	2	2	2	5	4	2	4	2	3	6	2
Diseases of Respiratory System	5	6	6	5	11	7	6	5	5	15	5	5	6	7	4	1	7	8	8	10	6	9	11	15	7	8
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	10	16	19	19	11	18	24	28	29	32	15	26	14	15	10	15	10	11	13	12	14	21	22	18	14	16
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	8	4	3	9	6	4	4	7	6	2	3	4	2	3	4	5	1	5	6	3	2	3	2	6	3	3
Violent Deaths	7	4	6	2	6	4	6	6	3	8	12	5	2	7	5	1	4	1	1	6	1	2	1	2	4	4
Number of Uncertified Deaths	4	4	5	5	3	3	8	5	2	8	5	4	3	2	2	3	3	2	1	1	2	5	4	2	6	1
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	56.2	52.5	55.6	55.9	50.3	51.3	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	55.7	50.8	54.3	54.2	51.5	52.1	42.7	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7
B Mean Minimum	33.9	41.3	45.9	44.3	32.1	36.9	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	47.3	42.5	47.7	40.5	40.9	39.4	33.4	33.1	33.1	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0
Mean of A and B	45.1	46.9	50.8	50.1	41.2	44.1	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	51.5	46.7	51.0	47.3	46.2	45.7	38.1	36.8	39.7	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8
Rainfall in inches	0.52	0.13	0.44	0.21	1.43	0.60	0.8	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.01	2.90	0.26	0.28	0.22	2.14	1.13	0.380	0.81	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68





TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 22nd January, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2
"    "    1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	6
"    "    2, ..	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5
"    "    3, ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
"    "    "    2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
"    "    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	5
"    "    "    4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	5
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	1	4	.	.	.	4	5	.	4	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	8	32

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 22nd January, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES			No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 22nd January.			
			Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	..	..	13	15	17	4	1	.	20
Typhus, ..	..	..	3	2	4	3	1	1	5
Small-pox, ..	..	..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	..	..	1	1	2	3	1	.	4
Scarlet Fever, ..	..	..	73	69	61	14	5	.	70*
Diphtheria, ..	..	..	40	47	44	10	8	3	43
Pneumonia, ..	..	..	32	36	34	11	8	3	34

\* Exclusive of 17 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·2 and 17·9; Dublin Registration Area, 15·8 and 16·9; Dublin City, 16·3 and 17·5; Belfast, 16·9 and 18·2; Cork, 15·0 and 18·5; Londonderry, 18·5 and 17·1; Limerick, 17·6 and 21·6; and Waterford, 3·8 and 19·0.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 136 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from scarlet fever, 6 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. Of the 22 deaths from all causes for Cork one was caused by diphtheria and one of a child under 2 years by diarrhoea and enteritis. The 16 deaths from all causes for Londonderry include one from diphtheria. The only death recorded for Lurgan is from diphtheria, and one of the 7 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny is also due to this disease.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 198—101 boys and 97 girls—and the deaths to 138—65 males and 73 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·9 and was 6·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the four weeks was 18·1 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·5.

Included in the 128 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 5 from diarrhoeal diseases, and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0, and 2; deaths from diphtheria, 2, 0, and 2; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases 4, 4, and 2, and deaths from influenza 4, 3, and 0.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia and 7 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (including 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, one from abdominal tuberculosis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis) as against 16, 14, and 15 in the three weeks preceding.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis.

Three deaths were attributed to accidental violence, of which one was caused by scalds and 2 by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to whooping-cough, one to tuberculous meningitis, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

Thirty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 128 deaths recorded, 53 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 29th January, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 16·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·3, and for Edinburgh 18·7.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 29th January. From this Report it appears that of 138 cases notified, 54 were scarlet fever, 21 diphtheria, 18 chicken-pox, 14 pulmonary tuberculosis, 13 other forms of tuberculosis, 10 acute primary pneumonia, 6 erysipelas, one puerperal fever, and one ophthalmia neonatorum. Among the 818 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 308 of scarlet fever, 215 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 167 of diphtheria, 33 of measles, 35 of venereal disease, 14 of erysipelas, 10 of whooping-cough, 5 of enteric fever, 4 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 2 of chicken-pox, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of acute primary pneumonia and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 29th January, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 8	2	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	3	27
	Jan. 15	.	2	1	.	.	—	4	—	8	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	2	.	.	19	38
	Jan. 22	1	4	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	4	—	.	—	.	.	.	5	1	.	8	32
	Jan. 29	.	2	.	.	.	—	7	—	9	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	27
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	4
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	5
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
City of Belfast	Jan. 8	1	.	1	.	.	—	15	—	14	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	29	63
	Jan. 15	5	2	2	.	.	—	15	—	12	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	34	72
	Jan. 22	3	.	.	.	.	—	27	—	6	2	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	60
	Jan. 29	.	1	.	.	.	—	25	—	6	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	57
City of Cork	Jan. 8	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	13	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	17 <sup>a</sup>
	Jan. 15	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	16	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	20
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10 <sup>a</sup>
City of Londonderry	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	10
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	12
	Jan. 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
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City of Waterford	Jan. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
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	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 29th January, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever nil and 16; typhus 2 and 7; measles one and 2; scarlet fever 7 and 54,\* and diphtheria 9 and 43. Ten cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 32 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, 3 were from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS AND DEATHS REGISTERED DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 29TH JANUARY, 1921, IN THE DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, AND IN EACH OF THE UNDER-MENTIONED 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (EXCLUSIVE OF DEATHS IN PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS OF PERSONS ADMITTED FROM OTHER DISTRICTS), THE NUMBER OF DEATHS FROM SOME OF THE PRINCIPAL CAUSES, AND THE NUMBER OF UNCERTIFIED DEATHS, WITH THE TEMPERATURE AND RAINFALL FOR THE WEEK; ALSO STATISTICS REGARDING BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND METEOROLOGY IN LONDON, EDINBURGH, AND GLASGOW.**

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 (b) See note (f) at foot of first page.  
 (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork.  
 (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park.  
 (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square.  
 (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.  
 (g) Including three deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.





registered in the **FOURTH WEEK**, ending Saturday, 29th January, 1921, with the average deaths from  
of the Five Years, 1916-20.

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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.														Belfast City.												
WEEK ENDING	Nov. 6.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Nov. 6.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.
No. of weeks in Annual Series ..	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4
Births registered ..	177	245	188	223	162	194	153	154	162	248	209	201	198	198	256	195	201	152	179	207	180	279	244	243	173	183
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	188	197	200	183	191	178	201	168	187	211	223	214	217	183	189	171	179	182	178	179	173	150	227	203	212	194
Number of Deaths ..	117	134	152	125	116	144	161	141	214	139	145	135	128	100	112	104	111	105	118	126	136	166	157	146	149	136
Annual Death-rate per 1,000 ..	14.7	16.8	19.1	15.7	14.6	18.1	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	12.6	14.1	13.1	14.0	13.3	14.9	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	176	179	159	162	160	166	164	162	167	187	170	178	180	114	140	156	170	161	159	149	148	149	152	158	143	160
Under one year ..	19	28	36	25	24	21	28	22	31	22	27	28	25	19	24	22	28	22	23	20	29	41	33	30	41	38
1—5 years ..	13	10	8	10	3	6	13	6	10	14	2	5	7	6	9	5	7	6	7	7	12	10	12	8	13	9
5—25 ..	15	17	16	7	13	18	14	10	19	6	8	6	13	16	15	11	11	16	17	13	10	7	12	14	15	14
25—45 ..	17	30	22	17	13	24	21	16	30	37	24	26	17	11	15	21	18	13	19	20	13	24	28	17	17	17
45—65 ..	29	19	34	30	27	31	38	32	60	26	39	31	32	29	28	19	23	24	29	36	43	29	39	27	28	36
65 and upwards ..	21	30	36	36	36	41	47	55	64	34	45	39	34	19	21	26	24	25	28	37	36	41	43	38	35	22
Deaths from:—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2
Enteric Fever ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Typhus ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Small-pox ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Measles ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Scarlet Fever ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Whooping-cough ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diphtheria ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dysentery ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Influenza ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tuberculosis (Pulmonary) ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Other Forms ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cancer ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diseases of Respiratory System ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Violent Deaths, ..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Number of Uncertified Deaths ..	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
A Mean Maximum Temperature in dogs ..	52.5	55.6	55.9	50.3	51.3	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	50.8	54.3	54.2	51.5	52.1	42.7	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	51
B Mean Minimum ..	41.3	45.9	44.3	32.1	36.9	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	42.5	47.7	40.5	40.9	39.4	33.4	33.1	41.7	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	42
Mean of A and B ..	46.9	50.8	50.1	41.2	44.1	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	46.7	51.0	47.3	46.2	45.7	38.1	36.8	46.8	46.8	43.8	42.8	44.8	46.5
Rainfall in inches ..	0.13	0.44	0.21	1.43	0.60	0.8	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	2.90	0.26	0.28	0.22	2.14	1.13	0.380	0.81	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 29th January, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons *admitted from without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS: the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 22·3 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 4·1.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 29th January, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
"    "    1, West, ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	6
"    "    2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
"    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
"    "    "    2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
"    "    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	3
"    "    "    4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	6
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
Total, ..	.	2	.	.	.	7	9	.	3	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	27

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 29th January, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 29th January.			
	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	15	17	20	.	4	.	16
Typhus, ..	2	4	5	2	.	.	7
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	1	2	4	1	3	.	2
Scarlet Fever,..	69	61	70	7	23	.	54*
Diphtheria, ..	47	44	43	9	9	.	43
Pneumonia, ..	36	34	34	16	9	3	32

\* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 15·1 and 16·7 ; Dublin Registration Area, 14·1 and 16·1 ; Dublin City, 14·3 and 16·7 ; Belfast, 14·2 and 16·9 ; Cork, 19·0 and 16·7 ; Londonderry, 9·3 and 13·9 ; Limerick, 14·9 and 18·6 ; and Waterford, 26·6 and 17·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 114 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 6 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one from influenza. The 28 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. One of the 8 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is from scarlet fever. Of the 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick one is from diphtheria and one of a child under 2 years from diarrhoea and enteritis, and 3 of the 14 deaths from all causes for Waterford are those of children under 2 years from diarrhoea and enteritis.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 231—125 boys and 106 girls—and the deaths to 130—61 males and 69 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·3 and was 6·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the five weeks was 17·7 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·5.

Included in the 114 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, 3 from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were 0, 2, and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 2, and 4. No death from scarlet fever was registered during the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 13 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 8 from broncho-pneumonia and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 9 deaths (including 6 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, one from lupus, and one from disseminated tuberculosis) as against 14, 15, and 14, in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 17 by bronchitis.

One death was attributed to accidental violence.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-one of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 114 deaths recorded, 37 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 5th February, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 14·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·5, and for Edinburgh 17·3.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 5th February. From this Report it appears that of 126 cases notified, 45 were scarlet fever, 22 diphtheria, 14 chicken-pox, 14 pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 9 erysipelas, 8 acute primary pneumonia, 3 acute influenzal pneumonia, 2 malaria, and 2 ophthalmia neonatorum. Among the 804 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 304 of scarlet fever, 213 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 151 of diphtheria, 35 of venereal disease, 33 of measles, 13 of erysipelas, 13 of whooping-cough, 7 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 5 of enteric fever, 2 of chicken-pox, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of acute primary pneumonia, and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 5th February, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 15	.	2	1	.	.	—	4	—	8	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	2	.	.	19	38
	Jan. 22	1	4	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	4	—	.	—	.	.	.	5	1	.	8	32
	Jan. 29	.	2	.	.	.	—	7	—	9	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	27
	Feb. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	12	3	—	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	13	37
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	5
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	3
City of Belfast	Jan. 15	5	2	2	.	.	—	15	—	12	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	34	72
	Jan. 22	3	.	.	.	.	—	27	—	6	2	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	60
	Jan. 29	.	1	.	.	.	—	25	—	6	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	57
	Feb. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	36	—	9	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	24	72
City of Cork	Jan. 15	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	16	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	20
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18
City of Londonderry	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	3	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	12
	Jan. 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
City of Limerick	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
City of Waterford	Jan. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1

(a) Not including one case of variola.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 5th February, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever nil and 14; typhus nil and 7; measles 11 and 12; scarlet fever 8 and 56,\* and diphtheria 17 and 51. Eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 28 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital pneumonia, one was from enteric fever, one from scarlet fever, 2 from diphtheria, and 2 from

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 5th February, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 5TH FEBRUARY, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)									
NUMBERS REGISTERED.										WEEK ENDING 5TH FEBRUARY, 1921.									
DEATHS.										Air Temperature.									
Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS.										Absolute Highest.									
BIRTHS.										Absolute Lowest.									
From all Causes.										Mean Maximum (A).									
From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)										Mean Minimum (B).									
TOTAL NUMBER										Mean of (A) and (B).									
TOTAL NUMBER										Rainfall in Inches.									
Under 1 year of Age.																			
At 65 years and upwards.																			
Typhus.																			
Small-pox.																			
Measles.																			
Scarlet Fever.																			
Whooping-cough.																			
Diphtheria.																			
Dysentery.																			
Influenza.																			
Pulmonary.																			
Other Forms.																			
Tuber- culosis.																			
Cancer.																			
Diseases of the Respira- tory System.																			
Diarrhoea and Enteritis in children under 15 years of age.																			
Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.																			
Violence.																			
Inquest Cases.																			
No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.																			
Number of Uncertified Deaths.																			

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page, (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause  
each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 5th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 5th February, 1921.															Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.															
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.		
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.												
ALL CAUSES.	182.4	130	6	18	5	5	1	.	6	2	8	15	14	15	15	20	114	
Enteric Fever..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Measles ..	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Scarlet Fever ..	.6	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Whooping-cough ..	2.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diphtheria ..	.6	3	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Croup ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Influenza ..	2.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Dysentery ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Erysipelas ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TUBERCULOSIS.																		
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	19.8	9	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	2	1	.	.	.	6	
Tuberculous Meningitis	4.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Veneræal Diseases	1.0	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cancer ..	8.2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	1	1	
Tumour, situation undefined.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	
Rheumatic Fever ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diabetes ..	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	2.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other General Diseases	1.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Alcoholism ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Simple Meningitis ..	3.2	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy.	4.6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	4	
Softening of Brain ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Paralysis, without specified cause.	3.8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	
Epilepsy ..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	4.4	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	2.8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	
Pericarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Acute Endocarditis ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	15.2	17	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	3	1	1	7	3	16	
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Bronchitis ..	25.4	19	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	4	6	17	
Broncho-pneumonia ..	7.8	9	1	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	8	
Lobar pneumonia ..	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	5.6	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	1	5	
Pleurisy ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pulmonary Congestion,	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	
Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	2.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	



registered in the FIFTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 5th February, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 5th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 5th February, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Diseases of Stomach ..	2·8	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3·4	3	·	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	1
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	·8	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	·6	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	·	·	·	·
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	2·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	1·2	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	1	·	·	·	2
Other Diseases of Liver	·4	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	·6	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	·4	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	1	·	1	·	2
Acute Nephritis ..	·6	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Chronic Bright's Disease	5·8	6	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	3	2	1	·	·	6
Urinary Calculi ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	1
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	·4	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Diseases of Locomotor System.	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Congenital Malformations.	1·0	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Premature Birth ..	6·8	5	3	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	5
Congenital Debility ..	4·8	4	·	4	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	4
Old Age ..	7·8	5	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	5	5
Other Specified Diseases	1·4	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Conflagration ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Burns and Scalds ..	·6	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Drowning ..	·8	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Suffocation in Bed ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Railways ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Vehicles and Horses ..	·8	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Building Operations ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Other Violent Deaths ..	1·0	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	1
Not included in above—																	
Homicide ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Suicide ..	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Execution ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	3·2	5	·	1	1	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	2	·	·	4

TABLE IV — Showing for the WEEK ENDED 5TH FEBRUARY, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 5TH FEBRUARY, 1921.														CAUSED BY										IN INSTITUTIONS.											
COLS.	ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.												Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	
		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES*	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)									(16)	(17)		(18)	(19)									(20)
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
North City.																																					
NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.	31,300	15.0	9	3	1	1	.	1	3	6	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	.				
" " 1, W.	42,900	19.4	16	2	1	2	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	1	1	.	1	5	.	4	1	.				
" " 2	28,700	18.2	10	3	.	2	.	.	1	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	2	.	.	2	.	.	3	2	.				
" " 3	35,600	7.3	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.				
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	18.3	2	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.				
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	11.0	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.				
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	13.5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	.				
South City.																																					
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	44,900	11.6	10	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	6	.	2	3	.				
" " 2	18,900	16.6	6	1	.	1	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	.	.	4	.	4	4	.	.				
" " 3	45,200	18.5	16	7	.	1	.	.	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	1	1	.	.	4	.	7	3	.				
" " 4	34,200	7.6	5	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	.	.				
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	19.3	4	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	2	1	.				
Urban Districts.																																					
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	11.4	9	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	6	.	3	.	.				
PEMBROKE	30,800	10.2	6	2	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	1	.				
BLACKROCK	9,800	10.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.			
KINGSTOWN	17,300	24.1	8	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	.	.			
TOTAL	170,000	14.7	48	10	2	3	.	2	8	14	9	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	2	1	3	8	7	1	.	1	22	1	8	4	3				
SOUTH	154,000	13.9	41	10	.	1	1	2	7	10	10	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	1	.	4	9	1	.	.	.	23	.	7	13	2				
North and South	324,000	14.3	89	20	2	4	1	4	15	24	19	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	4	2	3	12	16	2	.	1	45	1	15	17	5					
Total Urban Districts	99,000	13.2	25	3	1	1	.	1	3	3	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	1	2	.	.	.	17	.	3	2	.	.				
Total Registration Area	423,000	14.1	114	23	3	5	1	5	18	27	32	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	6	3	5	13	18	2	.	1	62	1	18	19	5					
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).																																					
			16	1	2	.	.	3	5	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	6	1	13	3	.				

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.



## REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 5TH FEBRUARY, 1921.

Class.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 3,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Popula- tion in each Class Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	AGES.						CAUSES OF DEATH.										Number of Uncer- tified Deaths.										
					Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.		Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Convulsions.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Violence.	Other Causes.		
																						Pulmonary.	Other Forms.			Pneumonia.	Other.				
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)
ALL PERSONS.																															
DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																															
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.	14,658	21.3	6	8	1	1	4	4	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	1
II.	MIDDLE CLASS	101,798	14.9	29	9	1	2	4	6	6	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	15	3
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.	108,420	16.8	35	9	1	3	9	11	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	4	3	2	1	1	18	3
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS	167,479	11.8	38	14	1	3	8	8	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	3	3	2	1	1	21	2
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.	5,602	—	22	3	1	2	2	6	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	8	1	1	1	7	1	1
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public De- partments	7,868	—	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1
II.	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class 3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	1,347	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
III.	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Ser- vice, Banking, &c. 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c. 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants 7. Miscellaneous—including all House- holders in Second Class Localities not included in above	9,523	—	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
IV.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS. 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Prin- ters, Watchmakers, and Jewellers 9. Building and Furnishing Trades 10. Clothing Trades 11. Food Supply Trades 12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades 13. Petty Shopkeepers	11,777	—	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
V.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c. 15. Domestic Servants 16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vainmen, &c. 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c. INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.	12,977	—	4	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
		36,041	—	8	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
		15,380	—	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
		103,081	—	24	11	1	1	4	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
		5,602	—	22	3	1	2	2	6	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	3	8	1	1	1	7	1	1

## OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.

The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed *pro rata* among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)

TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITIONS of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 5th February, 1921; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.														Belfast City.												
	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Nov. 13.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.
No of weeks in Annual Series	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5
BIRTHS registered	245	188	223	162	194	153	154	162	248	209	201	198	231	256	195	201	152	179	207	180	279	244	243	173	183	225
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	197	200	183	191	178	201	168	137	211	223	214	217	213	189	171	179	182	178	179	173	150	227	203	212	194	214
Number of Deaths	134	152	125	116	144	161	141	214	139	145	135	128	114	112	104	111	105	118	126	136	166	157	146	149	136	114
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	16.8	19.1	15.7	14.6	18.1	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	14.1	13.1	14.0	13.3	14.9	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	179	159	162	160	166	164	162	167	187	170	178	180	178	140	136	170	161	159	149	148	149	152	158	143	160	169
Ages	28	36	25	24	21	28	22	31	22	27	28	25	23	24	22	28	22	23	20	29	41	33	30	41	38	20
Under one year	10	16	10	3	6	13	6	10	14	2	5	7	8	9	5	7	6	7	7	12	10	12	8	13	9	16
1-5 years	17	18	7	13	18	14	10	19	6	8	6	13	6	15	11	11	16	17	13	10	7	12	14	15	14	11
5-25	30	22	17	13	24	21	16	30	37	24	26	17	18	15	21	18	13	19	20	13	24	28	17	17	16	16
25-45	19	34	30	27	34	38	32	60	26	39	31	32	27	28	19	23	23	24	29	36	43	29	39	28	36	16
45-65	30	36	36	36	41	47	55	64	34	45	39	34	32	21	26	24	25	28	37	36	41	43	38	35	22	35
65 and upwards																										
Deaths from:—																										
Enteric Fever			2			2		1	2		2			1		1					5			1		
Typhus																										
Small-pox																										
Measles			1											2	1	1					2			2		
Scarlet Fever																										
Whooping-cough																										
Diphtheria	1		1			1			1					2	1	2		3	1	2	2	1	2	6	6	2
Dysentery	2	1	1	3		1			2		2		3			2	2	3	1	2		3			1	
Influenza																										
Tuberculosis			1	1	2	5		4	4	3				1		1	2	1	1	1	2	3			1	
(Pulmonary	22	18	7	9	22	9	13	18	13	10	13	11	6	16	9	14	10	16	20	9	15	16	12	16	18	11
{ Other Forms	6	5	5	4	4	4	3	2	3	4	2	3	3	2	2	2	5	4	4	2	3	3	2	2	2	2
Cancer	6	5	11	7	6	5	5	15	5	5	6	13	5	1	7	8	8	10	6	9	11	15	7	8	13	7
Diseases of Respi-	13	17	8	9	10	16	12	27	12	18	14	12	13	8	7	9	6	11	7	10	20	20	11	14	16	15
ratory System {Pneumonia	19	19	11	18	24	28	29	32	15	26	15	11	18	15	10	11	13	12	14	21	22	18	25	16	17	14
{ Others	3	9	6	4	4	7	6	2	3	4	2	4	2	5	1	5	6	3	2	3	2	6	6	3	3	3
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years																										
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards																										
Violent Deaths,	6	2	6	4	4	6	3	8	1	5	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				3	3	1
Number of Uncertified Deaths	5	5	3	3	8	5	2	8	5	4	3	2	5	3	4	2	1	6	1	2	4	2	6	4	1	1
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	55.6	55.9	51.3	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	46.7	54.2	40.5	51.5	53.1	42.7	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1
B Mean Minimum	45.9	44.3	32.1	36.9	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	47.7	40.5	40.9	39.4	33.4	33.1	33.1	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	42	40.4
Mean of A and B	50.8	50.1	41.2	44.1	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	51.0	47.3	46.2	45.7	38.1	36.8	39.7	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8
Rainfall in inches	0.44	0.21	1.43	0.60	0.8	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.26	0.28	0.22	2.14	1.13	0.380	.81	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62



DEATHS.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

**NOTE.**—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 18.1 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 3.6.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 5th February, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3
"    "    1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5
"    "    2, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5
"    "    3, .. ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	7
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	4
"    "    "    2, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2
"    "    "    3, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	5
"    "    "    4, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5
New Kilmainham, ....	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, .. .. .	1	.	.	.	.	2	12	.	3	.	2	.	.	4	.	.	13	37

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 5th February, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th February.			
	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	17	20	16	.	1	1	14
Typhus, .. .. .	4	5	7	.	.	.	7
Small-pox, .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. .. .	2	4	2	11	1	.	12
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	61	70	54	8	5	1	56*
Diphtheria, .. .. .	44	43	43	17	7	2	51
Pneumonia, .. .. .	34	34	32	8	10	2	28

\* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·6 and 16·4 ; Dublin Registration Area, 18·9 and 16·4 ; Dublin City, 18·8 and 16·5 ; Belfast, 15·9 and 16·4 ; Cork, 15·6 and 16·3 ; Londonderry, 13·9 and 13·3 ; Limerick, 19·0 and 19·3 ; and Waterford, 19·0 and 16·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Among the 128 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 13 from whooping-cough and one from influenza. The 23 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from whooping-cough and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 169—85 boys and 84 girls—and the deaths to 165—102 males and 63 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·7 and was 6·4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the six weeks was 18·1 and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·6.

Included in the 153 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, 4 from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 2 from influenza, and one from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from scarlet fever were 0, 0, and one ; deaths from diphtheria 2, one, and 3 ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 4, and 2 ; and deaths from influenza 0, one, and 0. No death from cerebro-spinal meningitis was registered during the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 5 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 27 deaths (including 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 7 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 15, 14, and 9, in the three weeks preceding.

Sixteen deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, and 19 by bronchitis.

Two deaths were attributed to accidental violence, and there were 2 cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to disseminated tuberculosis, 2 to venereal disease, 2 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 2 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 44 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 30 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 153 deaths recorded, 63 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 12th February, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 14·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·0, and for Edinburgh 17·5.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 12th February. From this Report it appears that of 144 cases notified, 41 were scarlet fever, 27 diphtheria, 19 pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 16 chicken-pox, 14 erysipelas, 14 acute primary pneumonia, 3 acute influenzal pneumonia, one cerebro-spinal fever, and one membranous croup. Among the 782 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 290 of scarlet fever, 219 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, 138 of diphtheria, 41 of venereal disease, 29 of measles, 12 of whooping cough, 9 of erysipelas, 8 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 4 of enteric fever, one of chicken-pox, one of cerebro-spinal fever, one of acute primary pneumonia, and one of membranous croup.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 12th February, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 22	1	4	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	4	—	.	—	.	.	.	5	1	.	8	32
	Jan. 29	.	2	.	.	.	—	7	—	9	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	27
	Feb. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	12	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	13	37
	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	3	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	17
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3
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Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	3
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
City of Belfast	Jan. 22	3	.	.	.	.	—	27	—	6	2	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	60
	Jan. 29	.	1	.	.	.	—	25	—	6	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	57
	Feb. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	36	—	9	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	24	72
	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	22	—	5	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	18	47
City of Cork	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10 <sup>a</sup>
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	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10
City of Londonderry	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	3	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	12
	Jan. 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
City of Limerick	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
City of Waterford	Jan. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.

(a) Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 12th February, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever one and 14; typhus nil and 7; measles 3 and 14; scarlet fever 9 and 52,\* and diphtheria 7 and 40. Six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 30 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, one was from scarlet fever, and 4 were from diphtheria.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 12th February, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisionally revised) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. (b) The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.





registered in the SIXTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 12th February, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 6th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 12th February, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ...	2.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3.2	4	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Acute Nephritis ..	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Chronic Bright's Disease	5.2	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	4	1	.	10
Urinary Calculi ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	.8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	1.0	3	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Premature Birth ..	4.4	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Congenital Debility ..	5.2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Old Age ..	7.8	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	9	14
Other Specified Diseases	.6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ..	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Drowning ..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ..	.4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths ..	1.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Not included in above—																	
Homicide ..	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Suicide ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	2.0	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	4

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 12TH FEBRUARY, 1921, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the Dublin Registration Area, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.		Number of Unregistered Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																												
COLS.	ESTI-MATED POPU-LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	FROM CAUSES		FROM CUR-TAIN ALL EPI-DEMIC DIS-EASES*	CAUSED BY														In Hospitals and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse.	Hospitals.	Number of Unregistered Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																										
		(1)	(2)		(3)	(4)	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.					Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Pneumonia.	Other.	Diphtheria and Eteletis of children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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\* See note (†) at foot of first page.





TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.												
WEEK ENDING	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Jan. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Nov. 20.	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.
No. of weeks in Annual Series	..	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	46	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6
Births registered ..	188	223	162	194	153	154	162	248	209	201	198	231	169	201	195	201	152	179	207	180	279	244	243	173	183	225	201
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	200	183	191	178	201	168	187	211	223	214	217	213	215	171	179	182	178	179	173	150	227	203	212	194	214	201	
Number of Deaths	152	125	116	144	161	141	214	139	145	135	128	114	153	104	111	105	118	126	136	166	157	146	149	136	114	128	
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	19.1	15.7	14.6	18.1	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	13.1	14.0	13.3	14.9	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	159	162	160	166	164	162	167	187	170	178	180	178	180	156	170	161	159	149	148	149	152	158	143	160	169	183	
Under one year	36	25	24	21	28	22	31	22	27	28	25	23	21	22	28	22	23	20	29	41	33	30	41	38	20	41	
1—5 years	8	10	3	6	13	6	10	14	2	5	7	8	8	5	7	6	7	7	12	10	12	8	13	9	16	10	
5—25	16	7	13	18	14	10	19	6	8	6	13	6	15	11	11	16	17	13	10	7	12	14	15	14	11	14	
25—45	22	17	13	24	21	16	30	37	24	26	17	18	29	21	18	13	19	20	13	24	28	17	17	17	16	22	
45—65	34	30	27	34	38	32	60	26	39	31	32	27	36	19	23	23	24	29	36	43	29	39	38	36	16	20	
65 and upwards	36	36	36	41	47	55	64	34	45	39	34	32	44	26	24	25	28	37	36	41	43	38	35	22	35	21	
Deaths from:—																											
Enteric Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	
Typhus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Measles	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Scarlet Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Whooping-cough	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Diphtheria	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Dysentery	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Influenza	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Tuberculosis	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Cancer	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Diseases of Respiratory System	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Violent Deaths, ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
Number of Uncertified Deaths	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	55.9	50.3	51.3	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	54.2	51.5	52.1	42.7	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	
B Mean Minimum	44.3	32.1	36.9	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.5	40.9	39.4	33.4	33.1	33.1	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	
Mean of A and B	50.1	41.2	44.1	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	47.3	46.2	45.7	38.1	36.8	39.7	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8	39.8	
Rainfall in inches ..	0.21	1.43	0.60	0.8	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.28	0.22	2.14	1.13	0.380	0.81	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 12th February, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	AGES AT DEATH.												DEATHS FROM												No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
				Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		Total Number of DEATHS.	Under 1 year.						Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.			Violence.	Inquest Cases.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 16.6 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 4.1.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 12th February, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
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Total, ..	1	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	17

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 12th February, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 12th February.			
	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	20	16	14	1	1	.	14
Typhus, ...	5	7	7	.	.	.	7
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	4	2	12	3	1	.	14
Scarlet Fever, ..	70	54	56	9	12	1	52*
Diphtheria, ..	43	43	51	7	14	4	40
Pneumonia, ..	34	32	28	6	4	.	30

\* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 18·0 and 16·5 ; Dublin Registration Area, 18·2 and 16·8 ; Dublin City, 19·5 and 17·2 ; Belfast, 18·5 and 16·4 ; Cork, 17·7 and 16·8 ; Londonderry, 20·9 and 15·7 ; Limerick, 20·3 and 17·9 ; and Waterford, 5·7 and 13·8.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Among the 149 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 13 from whooping-cough, 4 from diarrhoeal diseases and 2 from influenza. The 26 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from diphtheria. Of the 15 deaths from all causes for Limerick, one is from diphtheria and one is from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one of the 6 deaths from all causes for Lisburn is from diphtheria.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 214—110 boys and 104 girls—and the deaths to 169—88 males and 81 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 21) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·9 and was 6·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the seven weeks was 18·5, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·7.

Included in the 148 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were one, 3, and 4 ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 2, and 4 ; and deaths from influenza one, 0, and 2.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 24 deaths (including 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 14, 9, and 27, in the three weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 20 by organic diseases of the heart, and 23 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns and one by drowning and 2 deaths were attributed to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 6 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 10 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

Thirty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 15 were under one month old, and 38 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 29 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 148 deaths recorded, 55 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th February, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 18·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·7, and for Edinburgh 16·7.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 19th February. From this Report it appears that of 132 cases notified, 37 were scarlet fever, 32 diphtheria, 21 pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 14 acute primary pneumonia, 10 erysipelas, 9 chicken-pox, one acute influenzal pneumonia, and one malaria. Among the 793 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 286 of scarlet fever, 228 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 6 other forms of tuberculosis, 147 of diphtheria, 36 of venereal disease, 32 of measles, 13 of whooping cough, 11 of erysipelas, 9 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 4 of enteric fever, one of chicken-pox, one of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of membranous croup.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 19th February, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Jan. 29	.	2	.	.	.	—	7	—	9	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	1	27
	Feb. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	12	3	—	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	13	37
	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	3	3	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	17
	Feb. 19	.	1	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	10	24
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	3
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4
Pembroke Urban District	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	3
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
City of Belfast	Jan. 29	.	1	.	.	.	—	25	—	6	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	57
	Feb. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	36	—	9	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	24	72
	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	22	—	5	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	18	47
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	35	62
City of Cork	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10 <sup>a</sup>
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	14	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15
City of Londonderry	Jan. 29	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
	Feb. 19	3	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8
City of Limerick	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
City of Waterford	Jan. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.

(a) Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 19th February, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever one and 12 ; typhus one and 5 ; measles 7 and 12 ; scarlet fever 15 and 61,\* and diphtheria 9 and 41. Eleven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 31 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, one was from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 19th February, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 7th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 19th February, 1921.															Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	190·6	169	19	16	2	5	1	3	5	6	10	20	19	21	21	21	148
Enteric Fever ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	2·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	3·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diphtheria ..	1·0	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Croup ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	6·6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Dysentery ..	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Erysipelas ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	22·2	19	.	1	.	1	.	.	4	.	5	5	1	2	.	.	18
Tuberculous Meningitis	1·4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	·2	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	3
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1·4	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Venereal Diseases																	
Cancer ..	10·4	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	3	4	.	6
Tumour, situation undefined.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	·6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	1·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other General Diseases	2·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Alcoholism ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Simple Meningitis ..	2·4	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Cerebral Hamorrhage, Apoplexy.	3·8	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	4
Softening of Brain ..	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	2·4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3
Epilepsy ..	1·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	3·8	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	2·8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	2
Pericarditis ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Endocarditis ..	·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	12·8	20	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	4	4	3	4	2	1
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	1·0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1·8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1
Diseases of the Larynx ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bronchitis ..	28·6	23	.	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	4	3	4	23
Broncho-pneumonia ..	10·2	6	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	1	6
Lobar pneumonia ..	3·0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	9·2	5	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	3
Pleurisy ..	·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy.	1·0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	1·2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1



registered in the SEVENTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 19th February, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 7th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 19th February, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ..	1.2	3	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3.2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Liver	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis ..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Bright's Disease	7.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2
Urinary Calculi ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Premature Birth ..	4.2	12	10	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
Congenital Debility ..	3.4	7	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
Old Age ..	9.4	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	9	10
Other Specified Diseases	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ..	.8	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Drowning ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths ..	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Not included in above—																	
Homicide ..	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	2
Suicide ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	4.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	2

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 19TH FEBRUARY, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

		WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 19TH FEBRUARY, 1921.																				DEATHS.														
REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	Cols.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY												DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.					IN INSTITUTIONS.														
			FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.			
																						Pneumonia.	Other.		Pulmonary.	Other Forms.								Pneumonia.	Other.	
					(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)
North City.																																				
North City, No. 1, E.	...	31,300	16.7	.	10	2	.	1	1	3	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	1	1	3	1	.	.	5	.	2	2	4	.		
" " 1, W.	...	42,900	20.7	1.2	17	4	.	1	4	4	4	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	6	.	3	4	4	.		
" " 2	...	28,700	23.6	.	13	4	1	.	1	2	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	3	1	.	.	7	.	4	3	3	.		
" " 3	...	36,600	17.6	.	12	2	1	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	4	1	3	1	1	.		
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	...	5,700	36.6	.	4	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	3	1	1	.		
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	...	14,200	25.7	.	7	.	.	.	.	3	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	4	.	3	1	1	.		
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	...	11,600	13.5	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
South City.																																				
South City, No. 1	...	44,900	20.9	.	18	5	1	1	1	4	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	12	.	3	1	3	1	.	
" " 2	...	18,900	8.3	.	3	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	2	.	2	3	3	1	.	
" " 3	...	46,200	23.1	.	20	3	.	2	1	3	4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	3	4	.	.	10	.	1	5	1	1	.	
" " 4	...	34,200	12.2	4.8	8	2	.	.	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	.	.	3	.	3	1	2	2	1	.
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	10,800	29.0	.	6	3	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Urban Districts.																																				
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	...	41,100	14.0	.	11	1	.	.	1	1	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	9	.	3	2	2	1	.	
PEMBROKE	...	30,800	15.2	1.7	9	3	.	.	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	1	1	1	.	
BLACKROCK	...	9,800	21.3	.	4	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.		
KINGSTOWN	...	17,300	9.0	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TOTAL CITY.	North	170,000	20.2	0.3	66	12	1	3	4	12	18	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	4	4	4	11	.	1	.	30	.	1	13	14	1		
	South	154,000	18.6	0.5	55	13	1	2	3	9	11	14	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	1	1	6	14	.	.	2	27	.	1	10	9	6		
Total Urban Districts		324,000	19.5	0.3	121	25	2	5	7	21	29	30	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	14	5	5	10	25	1	.	3	57	2	23	23	7			
Total Registration Area		99,000	14.2	0.5	27	6	.	1	2	5	5	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	1	1	1	.	1	17	.	6	3	1	1	.		
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).		423,000	18.2	0.4	148	31	2	5	3	9	26	38	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	18	6	6	10	26	2	4	74	2	29	26	8	.			
		21	4	.	21	4	.	1	2	4	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	6	3	1	.	1	1	8	1	19	2	.	.		

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.



REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 19TH FEBRUARY, 1921.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 19TH FEBRUARY, 1921.																																
CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	AGES.							CAUSES OF DEATH.																					
				Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Convulsions.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea & Enteritis of children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Number of Unrecorded Deaths.			
																			Pulmonary.	Other Forms.			Pneumonia.	Other.								
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	
		397,957	—	169	42	4	11	30	40	21	21							1		1	19	7	12	2	13	27	2		5	80	8	
	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>																															
	<b>CLASSES.</b>																															
I.	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																															
II.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																															
III.	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments	14,658	32.0	9	4	4	4	4	8	3	4										2	2	3	1	1	1				4	2	
IV.	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class	101,798	12.8	25	4	4	4	4	8	3	2										2	2	3	1	1	1				16	13	3
V.	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	108,420	15.4	32	7	2	8	9	6	6											4	4	3	1	6	10				1	35	3
	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, &c.	167,479	23.4	75	28	4	14	14	5	6											11	2	3	1	7	9				4	35	3
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.	5,602	—	28	3	1	4	7	4	9											2	3		2	2					12		
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants																															
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above																															
	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers																															
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades																															
	10. Clothing Trades																															
	11. Food Supply Trades																															
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades</																															

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

WEEK ENDING	Dublin Registration Area.													Belfast City.						
	No. of weeks in Annual Series	Nov. 27.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Mar. 31.
No. of weeks in Annual Series	..	47	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Births registered ..	..	223	162	194	153	154	162	248	209	201	198	230	167	214	201	279	244	243	173	233
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	..	183	191	178	201	168	187	211	223	214	217	213	215	211	179	150	227	203	212	201
Number of Deaths ..	..	125	116	144	161	141	214	139	145	135	128	114	153	148	111	166	157	146	149	149
Annual Death-rate per 1,000 ..	..	15.7	14.6	18.1	20.2	17.7	23.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	14.0	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	18.5
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	..	162	160	166	164	162	167	187	170	178	150	178	150	184	170	149	152	158	143	171
Ages ..	Under one year	25	24	21	28	22	31	22	27	28	25	23	21	31	28	29	33	30	41	38
	1—5 years	10	3	6	13	6	10	14	8	5	7	8	8	7	7	12	12	8	13	9
	5—25 ..	7	13	18	14	10	19	6	6	13	13	6	15	12	11	7	12	14	15	14
	25—45 ..	17	13	24	21	16	30	37	26	17	18	29	26	26	18	24	28	17	17	17
	45—65 ..	30	27	34	38	32	60	26	39	31	32	27	36	34	23	43	29	39	28	36
Deaths from ..	65 and upwards	36	36	41	47	55	64	34	45	39	34	32	44	38	24	41	43	38	35	21
Enteric Fever ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	5	..	..	..	..
Typhus ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dysentery ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Influenza ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pulmonary Tuberculosis ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cancer ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diseases of Respiratory System ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Violent Deaths, ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Uncertified Deaths ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs. ..	..	50.3	51.3	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	51.5	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	50.2
B Mean Minimum ..	..	32.1	36.9	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	40.9	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	41.4
Mean of A and B ..	..	41.2	44.1	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	46.2	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8	45.8
Rainfall in inches ..	..	1.43	0.60	0.18	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.22	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.08



DEATHS.

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NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes, 22·8 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 4·1.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 19th February, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
"    "    1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
"    "    2, ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	4
"    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	3
"    "    "    2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
"    "    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
"    "    "    4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	5
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Total, ..	.	1	.	.	.	4	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	10	24

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 19th February, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th February.			
	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	16	14	14	1	3	.	12
Typhus, .. ..	7	7	7	1	3	.	5
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	2	12	14	7	9	.	12
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	54	56	52	15	6	.	61*
Diphtheria, .. ..	43	51	40	9	8	.	41
Pneumonia, .. ..	32	28	30	11	9	1	31

\* Exclusive of 8 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 19·8 and 17·4 ; Dublin Registration Area, 18·1 and 17·3 ; Dublin City, 20·0 and 18·1 ; Belfast, 19·1 and 16·9 ; Cork, 23·1 and 18·8 ; Londonderry, 17·4 and 15·4 ; Limerick, 19·0 and 18·3 ; and Waterford, 15·2 and 16·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. Among the 154 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from measles, 19 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years and one from influenza. The 34 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from diphtheria. Included in the 15 deaths from all causes for Londonderry, is one from scarlet fever. Of the 14 deaths from all causes for Limerick, one is from influenza, and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Lisburn is from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 188—95 boys and 93 girls—and the deaths to 165—91 males and 74 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·1 and was 6·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the eight weeks was 18·7, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·1.

Included in the 147 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were 3, 4, and one ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 4, and 2 ; and deaths from influenza 0, 2, and one. There were no deaths from enteric fever, or whooping-cough registered in the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 13 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 8 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (including 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 9, 27, and 24, in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 18 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were registered, of which one was caused by burns and one by a vehicle ; 4 deaths were attributed to homicide and one to suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, one to pulmonary tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, 2 to meningitis, 3 to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 41 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 33 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 147 deaths recorded, 63 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 26th February, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 15·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 19·4 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 21·0, and for Edinburgh 20·1.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 26th February. From this Report it appears that of 153 cases notified, 45 were scarlet fever, 33 diphtheria, 30 pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 13 chicken-pox, 10 acute primary pneumonia, 6 erysipelas, 4 ophthalmia neonatorum, 3 malaria, and one acute influenzal pneumonia. Among the 799 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 287 of scarlet fever, 228 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 151 of diphtheria, 35 of venereal disease, 39 of measles, 12 of whooping cough, 10 of erysipelas, 6 of acute influenzal pneumonia, and 4 of enteric fever.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 26th February, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	12	3	—	—	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	13	37
	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	3	2	—	—	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	17
	Feb. 19	.	1	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	2	—	—	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	10	24
	Feb. 26	1	1	.	.	.	—	4	—	1	2	—	—	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	10	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	1	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	—	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	3
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
City of Belfast	Feb. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	36	—	9	2	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	24	72
	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	22	—	5	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	18	47
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	9	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	35	62
	Feb. 26	1	3	.	.	.	—	18	—	7	1	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	31	62
City of Cork	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	14	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	14	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15 <sup>a</sup>
City of Londonderry	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
	Feb. 19	3	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8
	Feb. 26	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
City of Limerick	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
City of Waterford	Feb. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.

(a) Not including one case of whooping-cough.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 26th February, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric Fever nil and 10 ; typhus one and 2 ; measles nil and 9 ; scarlet fever 11 and 62,\* and diphtheria 4 and 34. Five cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 32 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, 2 were from diphtheria and one was from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.





TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause  
each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 8th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 26th February, 1921.															Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	224.6	165	13	17	3	3	3	5	6	5	14	14	19	21	26	16	147
Enteric Fever..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	2.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	1.6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diphtheria ..	1.2	3	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Croup ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	21.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	2
Dysentery ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Erysipelas ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	23.6	18	.	1	.	.	.	4	2	5	2	4	.	.	.	.	16
Tuberculous Meningitis	2.6	2	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Venereal Diseases ..	1.4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cancer ..	9.2	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	5	2	.	.	10
Tumour, situation undefined.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other General Diseases	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Alcoholism ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Simple Meningitis ..	2.0	4	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Apoplexy.	5.8	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	.	5
Softening of Brain	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	3.8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	3
Epilepsy ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	3.4	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	4.4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	2
Pericarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Endocarditis ..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	16.8	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	2	9	2	.	18
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	2.0	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	4
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bronchitis ..	31.4	18	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18
Broncho-pneumonia ..	13.2	8	.	3	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	7	4	.	8
Lobar pneumonia	2.0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	7.8	5	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	4
Pleurisy ..	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Respiratory System	2.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1



registered in the EIGHTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 26th February, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 8th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 26th February, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0—5.				5—10.	10—15.	15—20.	20—25.	25—35.	35—45.	45—55.	55—65.	65—75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1—2.	2—5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ..	2.4	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	4.2	4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis ..	1.2	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Chronic Bright's Disease	5.4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	1	.	3
Urinary Calculi ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	.4	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Premature Birth ..	6.0	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
Congenital Debility ..	7.2	4	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Old Age ..	8.0	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4	7
Other Specified Diseases	2.0	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ..	1.8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Drowning ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ..	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths ..	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Not included in above—																	
Homicide ..	.2	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	4
Suicide ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Execution ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	4.4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	2





TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPEs the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITIONS of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 26th February, 1921; the Annual Death-rate represented by the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Dec. 4.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	
No. of weeks in Annual Series	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	48	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
BIRTHS registered	162	194	153	154	162	248	239	201	198	230	167	214	188	152	179	207	180	279	244	243	173	183	225	201	223	196
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	191	178	201	168	137	211	223	214	217	213	215	211	205	182	178	179	173	150	227	203	212	194	214	201	206	207
Number of Deaths	116	144	161	141	214	139	145	135	128	114	153	148	147	105	118	126	136	166	157	146	149	136	114	128	149	154
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	14.6	18.1	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	13.3	14.9	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	160	166	164	162	167	187	170	178	180	178	180	184	208	161	159	149	148	149	152	158	143	160	169	183	171	175
Ages	Under one year	24	21	28	31	22	27	28	25	23	21	31	27	22	23	20	29	41	33	30	41	38	20	41	44	43
	1-5 years	3	6	13	6	10	14	2	7	8	8	7	6	6	7	7	12	10	12	8	13	9	16	10	16	23
	5-25 "	13	18	14	10	19	6	13	13	6	15	12	15	16	17	13	10	7	12	14	15	14	11	14	17	14
	25-45 "	13	24	21	16	30	37	24	17	18	29	26	21	13	19	20	13	24	28	17	17	16	22	21	19	24
	45-65 "	27	34	38	32	60	26	39	31	32	27	36	34	23	24	29	36	43	29	39	28	36	16	20	26	24
	65 and upwards	36	41	47	55	64	45	39	34	32	44	38	41	25	28	37	36	41	43	38	35	22	35	21	35	31
Deaths from:—																										
Enteric Fever			2		1	2		2					1		1			5			1					1
Typhus																										
Small-pox																										
Measles																										
Scarlet Fever			1							1																
Whooping-cough								2																		
Diphtheria								2																		
Dysentery																										
Influenza																										
(Pulmonary			5		4	4	3		1																	
Tuberculosis		1	2	9	18	13	10	13	11	6	18	18	16	10	16	20	9	15	16	12	16	18	11	13	5	5
Cancer		4	5	4	2	3	4	2	3	3	9	6	4	5	2	4	2	3	6	3	2	2	7	4	6	11
Diseases of Respi-		7	6	5	15	5	18	6	13	5	16	6	10	8	10	6	9	11	15	7	8	13	7	4	6	26
ratory System		9	10	12	27	12	15	14	12	13	5	10	13	6	11	7	10	20	11	14	16	15	11	14	23	26
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years		18	24	28	32	15	26	15	12	18	23	26	20	13	12	14	21	22	18	25	16	17	14	19	15	14
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards		4	4	7	6	3	4	2	1	2	4	2	3	6	3	2	3	2	6		3	3	1		2	2
Violent Deaths,																										
Number of Uncertified Deaths		4	6	6	8	12	5	2	3	1	4	4	8	1	6	1	2		10	2	4				2	1
		3		5	8	5	4	3	2	5	5	8	5	1	1	2	5	4	2	6	1				3	5
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	51.3	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	52.1	42.7	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3
B Mean Minimum	36.9	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.4	33.4	33.1	33.1	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6
Mean of A and B	44.1	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.7	38.1	36.8	39.7	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9
Rainfall in inches	0.60	0.8	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	2.14	1.13	0.380	0.81	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37





TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 26th February, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
„ „ 1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	3
„ „ 2, ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4
„ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
South City No. 1, ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
„ „ „ 2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3
„ „ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2
„ „ „ 4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Total, ..	1	1	.	.	.	4	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	10	22

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 26th February, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th February.			
	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	14	14	12	.	2	.	10
Typhus, .. ..	7	7	5	1	4	.	2
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	12	14	12	.	3	.	9
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	56	52	61	11	10	.	62*
Diphtheria, .. ..	51	40	41	4	9	2	34
Pneumonia, .. ..	28	30	31	5	3	1	32

\* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 18·9 and 18·3 ; Dublin Registration Area, 18·9 and 18·5 ; Dublin City, 19·0 and 19·3 ; Belfast, 17·5 and 17·8 ; Cork, 19·0 and 18·8 ; Londonderry, 20·9 and 18·3 ; Limerick, 17·6 and 19·0 ; and Waterford, 24·7 and 16·2.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Among the 141 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 10 from whooping-cough, 5 from diarrhoeal diseases and 3 from influenza. The 28 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from diphtheria. Included in the 13 deaths from all causes for Waterford, is one from influenza. Of the 10 deaths from all causes for Wexford, one is from scarlet fever, and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny is from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 210—108 boys and 102 girls—and the deaths to 166—82 males and 84 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·3 and was 6·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the nine weeks was 18·9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·6.

Included in the 153 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from diphtheria, one from dysentery, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 4 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were 4, one, and one ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 2, and 3 ; and deaths from influenza 2, one, and 2. There were no deaths from dysentery, registered in the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 8 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 28 deaths (including 24 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from abdominal tuberculosis) as against 27, 24, and 20, in the three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 26 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered, both of which were caused by burns and 2 deaths were attributed to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to influenza, one to abdominal tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, 4 to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, one to pneumonia (type not distinguished), 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 12 were under one month old, and 52 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 43 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 153 deaths recorded, 55 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 5th March, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14·8) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 18·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19·6, and for Edinburgh 17·8.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 5th March. From this Report it appears that of 154 cases notified, 31 were scarlet fever, 31 pulmonary tuberculosis, 24 other forms of tuberculosis, 21 diphtheria, 13 chicken-pox, 17 acute primary pneumonia, 8 erysipelas, 3 acute influenzal pneumonia, 3 malaria, one puerperal fever, one ophthalmia neonatorum, and one dysentery. Among the 792 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 261 of scarlet fever, 237 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 153 of diphtheria, 42 of venereal disease, 33 of measles, 14 of erysipelas, 11 of whooping cough, 6 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 3 of enteric fever, and one of puerperal fever.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 5th March, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	3	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	17
	Feb. 19	.	1	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	10	24
	Feb. 26	1	1	.	.	.	—	4	—	1	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	10	22
	Mar. 5	.	1	.	.	.	—	8	—	8	2	—	.	—	1	.	.	5	.	.	15	40
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	3
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
City of Belfast	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	22	—	5	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	18	47
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	35	62
	Feb. 26	1	3	.	.	.	—	18	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	31	62
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	8	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	25	48
City of Cork	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10
	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	14	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	14	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15a
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	9a
City of Londonderry	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Feb. 19	3	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Feb. 26	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Mar. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Feb. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Feb. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.

(a) Not including one case of whooping-cough.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 5th March, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever nil and 9; typhus one and 3; measles 4 and 4; scarlet fever 17 and 66,\* and diphtheria 15 and 42. Six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 28 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, one was from scarlet fever, 3 were from diphtheria and 2 from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 5th March, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

[illegible]

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the civil stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Arnagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 9th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 5th March, 1921.															Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.															
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.		
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.												
ALL CAUSES.	248.4	166	12	16	3	7	2	3	6	8	7	16	15	17	34	20	153	
Enteric Fever ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Measles ..	3.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Scarlet Fever ..	4.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Whooping-cough ..	1.0	3	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Diphtheria ..	34.8	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	
Croup ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	
Influenza ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	
Dysentery ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Erysipelas ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TUBERCULOSIS.																		
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	23.8	27	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	4	6	7	3	1	.	.	24	
Tuberculous Meningitis	2.0	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2	
Abdominal Tuberculosis	.6	2	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	2.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Venereal Diseases	.8	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Cancer ..	11.0	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6	2	1	8	
Tumour, situation undefined.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Rheumatic Fever ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diabetes ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other General Diseases	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Alcoholism ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Simple Meningitis ..	2.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Apoplexy.	6.8	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	
Softening of Brain ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	
Paralysis, without specified cause.	3.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Epilepsy ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	3.6	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	4.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	
Pericarditis ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Acute Endocarditis ..	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	19.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	.	.	7	
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2	
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	
Bronchitis ..	34.6	27	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	3	9	5	26	
Broncho-pneumonia ..	14.4	8	.	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	8	
Lobar pneumonia ..	2.6	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	13.2	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2	
Pleurisy ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	2.2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	2	



registered in the NINTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 5th March, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 9th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 5th March, 1921.													Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)		
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.		65-75.	75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach	3.0	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3.4	4	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	.8	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2
Cirrhosis of Liver	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Bright's Disease	5.6	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	2	8
Urinary Calculi	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Premature Birth	5.0	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Congenital Debility	4.8	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Old Age	9.4	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	4	9
Other Specified Diseases	1.2	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds	.8	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
Drowning	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ships, Boats, Docks	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c.	.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Not included in above—																	
Homicide	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Suicide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes	2.4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	5	1½	6

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 5TH MARCH, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 5TH MARCH, 1921.																																				
		CAUSED BY										IN INSTITUTIONS.																										
		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.	TOTAL DEATHS.		Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, & years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse.	In Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.		
ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CER- TAIN EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES*	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
North City.																																						
NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.	...	31,300	26.7	16	5	1	16	5	1	1	4	9	1	4	9	1	1	1	1	1	2	5	1	1	1	1	3	4	1	1	1	4	4	3	2	1		
" " 1, W.	...	42,900	31.6	26	5	1	26	5	1	1	5	9	1	5	9	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	6	2	1	2	2	10	4	4	5	1		
" " 2	...	28,700	12.7	7	1	1	7	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1		
" " 3	...	35,600	22.0	15	1	1	15	1	2	2	2	8	1	2	8	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	2	4	1	1	1	4	4	1	5	1	1		
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	...	5,700	9.1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	4	1	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	5	1	1		
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of ...	...	14,200	36.7	10	2	1	10	2	1	1	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of ...	...	11,600	4.5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
South City.																																						
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	...	44,900	15.1	13	5	1	13	5	1	2	1	3	5	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	4	2	2	3	1	1		
" " 2	...	18,900	5.5	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 3	...	45,200	13.8	12	1	1	12	1	3	1	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	5	2	1	1	1	4	1	2	1	1		
" " 4	...	34,200	16.8	11	2	1	11	2	1	2	2	4	1	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	10,800	19.3	4	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
Urban Districts.																																						
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	...	41,100	15.2	12	1	1	12	1	1	2	3	5	1	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	6	3	4	1	1	1		
PENBROKE	...	30,800	15.2	9	1	1	9	1	1	2	1	4	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	3	3	1	1		
BLACKROCK	...	9,800	21.3	4	1	1	4	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
KINGSTOWN	...	17,300	30.1	10	1	1	10	1	1	1	4	5	1	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	1	1	1	1	1		
TOTAL		170,000	23.3	76	14	1	76	14	4	1	8	26	1	13	26	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	15	3	3	26	3	17	11	2	2		
CITY.		154,000	14.2	42	12	2	42	12	1	3	7	10	1	6	10	1	1	1	1	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	3	12	1	1	17	7	8	3	3	3		
North and South		324,000	19.0	118	26	3	118	26	5	4	13	36	2	19	36	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	5	9	27	4	4	43	3	24	19	5	5		
Total Urban Districts		99,000	18.4	35	2	1	35	2	2	1	6	16	1	3	16	1	1	1	1	3	5	1	3	1	3	1	3	3	2	1	17	7	5	1	1	1		
Total Registration Area		423,000	18.9	153	28	3	153	28	7	5	19	52	3	24	52	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	8	12	29	4	4	60	3	31	24	6	6	6		
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).				13	1	1	13	1	1	4	2	2	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	2	2	12	1	1	1	1		

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.



**TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the Persons whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 5th March, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.**

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 5TH MARCH, 1921.

Class.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 3138 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Popula- tion in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	AGES.							CAUSES OF DEATH.																						
					Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Convulsions.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea & En- teritis of chil- dren under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and up- wards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Number of Uncer- tified Deaths.			
																					Pulmonary.	Other Forms.			Pneumonia.	Other.								
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)			
	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>	397,957	—	166	38	5	14	23	32	34	20	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	5	27	5	10	1	12	31	4	.	6	61	6			
I.	<b>DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—</b>																																	
II.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.	14,658	14.2	4	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
III.	MIDDLE CLASS	101,798	17.4	34	3	1	3	9	9	6	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	10	1	4	.	4	.	.	.	.	2	14	2		
IV.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.	108,420	15.9	33	8	3	3	9	3	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	8	1	2	.	3	7	.	.	.	4	7	1		
V.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS	167,479	21.8	70	25	4	7	7	9	15	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	8	2	2	1	5	11	4	.	.	4	31	3		
	<b>INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.</b>	5,602	—	25	2	.	1	4	10	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	1	.	12	.	.	.	.	.	7	.		
I.	<b>PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.</b>																																	
1.	Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public De- partments	7,868	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	
2.	Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class	1,347	—	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
3.	Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	5,443	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
4.	General Body of Officials—Civil Ser- vice, Banking, &c.	9,523	—	3	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
5.	Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.	25,199	—	6	1	1	3	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	
6.	Clerks and Commercial Assistants	33,249	—	11	1	.	.	.	3	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	
7.	Miscellaneous—including all House- holders in Second Class Localities not included in above	33,827	—	14	1	.	.	1	2	4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	
III.	<b>ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.</b>																																	
8.	Working Engineers, Engravers, Prin- ters, Watchmakers, and Jewellers	11,777	—	3	1	.	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.
9.	Building and Furnishing Trades	28,823	—	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.
10.	Clothing Trades	20,026	—	3	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.
11.	Food Supply Trades	8,952	—	4	.	.	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.
12.	Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades	32,070	—	16	6	.	2	3	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	6	.	1	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.
13.	Petty Shopkeepers	6,772	—	3	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
IV.	<b>GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.</b>																																	
14.	Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.	12,977	—	9	2	.	2	2	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	.
15.	Domestic Servants	36,041	—	6	.	1	1	2	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.
16.	Coach and Car Drivers, Valetmen, &c.	15,380	—	4	1	.	.	.	.	11	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	1	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	4	4	.	.
17.	Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.	103,081	—	51	22	4	4	3	6	11	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	23	.	.
V.	<b>INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.</b>																																	
18.	Workhouse Inmates	5,602	—	25	2	.	1	4	10	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	1	.	.	12	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.														Belfast City.												
WEEK ENDING	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Dec. 11.	Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.
No. of weeks in Annual Series	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	49	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
BIRTHS registered	194	153	154	162	248	209	201	198	230	167	214	188	210	179	207	180	279	244	243	173	183	225	201	223	196	204
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	178	201	168	137	211	223	214	217	213	215	211	205	212	178	179	173	150	227	203	212	194	214	201	206	207	215
Number of Deaths	144	161	141	214	139	145	135	128	114	153	148	147	153	118	126	136	166	157	146	149	136	114	128	149	154	141
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	18.1	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	14.9	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	166	164	162	167	187	170	178	180	178	180	184	208	216	159	149	148	149	152	158	143	160	169	183	171	175	174
Ages																										
Under one year	21	28	22	31	22	27	28	25	23	21	31	27	28	23	20	29	41	33	30	41	38	20	41	44	43	39
1-5 years	6	13	6	10	14	2	5	7	8	8	7	6	10	7	7	12	10	12	8	13	9	16	10	16	23	11
5-25	18	14	10	19	6	8	6	13	6	15	12	15	14	17	13	10	7	12	14	15	14	11	14	17	14	13
25-45	24	21	16	30	37	24	26	17	18	29	26	21	19	19	20	13	24	28	17	17	17	16	22	11	19	25
45-65	34	38	32	60	26	39	31	32	27	36	34	37	30	24	29	36	43	29	39	36	36	16	20	26	24	23
65 and upwards	41	47	55	64	34	45	39	34	32	44	38	41	52	28	37	36	41	43	38	35	22	35	21	35	31	30
Deaths from:—																										
Enteric Fever	1	2	1	1	2									1			5			1					1	
Typhus																										
Small-pox																										
Measles																										
Scarlet Fever	1	4	1	1	1									3	2	1	2	1	2	6	1	6	13	19	10	
Whooping-cough																										
Diphtheria																										
Dysentery																										
Influenza																										
Tuberculosis	2	5	9	13	4	3								1				3								
{ Pulmonary	22	9	13	18	13	10	13	11	6	18	18	16	24	16	20	9	15	16	12	16	18	11	13	5	13	17
{ Other Forms	5	4	3	2	3	4	2	3	3	9	6	4	8	2	4	2	2	3	3	2	2	2	7	4	5	3
Cancer	6	5	5	15	5	5	6	13	5	16	6	10	8	10	6	9	11	15	7	8	13	7	4	6	11	6
Diseases of Respiratory System	10	16	12	27	12	18	14	12	13	5	10	13	12	11	7	10	20	11	14	16	15	11	14	23	26	16
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	24	28	29	32	15	26	15	11	18	23	26	20	29	12	14	21	22	18	25	16	17	14	19	15	14	21
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	4	7	6	2	3	4	2	4	2	4	2	3	4	3	2	3	2	6	1	3	3	1		2	1	4
Violent Deaths,	1	1	3	8	1	5	1	1	1	4	4	8	5	6	1	1	2	2	1	4	4	1		2	1	1
Number of Uncertified Deaths	8	5	2	8	5	4	3	2	5	5	8	5	6	1	2	5	4	10	2	4	1		3	3	3	2
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	43.1	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	42.7	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6
B Mean Minimum	29.7	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	33.4	33.1	33.1	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0
Mean of A and B	36.4	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	38.1	36.8	39.7	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9	37.0
Rainfall in inches	0.18	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	1.13	0.38	0.81	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 5th March, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons *admitted from without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERSONS: the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 18·1 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 3·1.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 5th March, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	8
"    "    1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	6
"    "    2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
"    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	5
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
South City No. 1, ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5
"    "    "    2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
"    "    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	6
"    "    "    4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	5
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	.	1	.	.	.	8	8	.	2	.	1	.	.	5	.	.	15	40

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 5th March, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th March,			
	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	14	12	10	.	1	.	9
Typhus, ..	7	5	2	1	.	.	3
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	..	.	.
Measles, ..	14	12	9	4	9	.	4
Scarlet Fever,..	52	61	62	17	12	1	66*
Diphtheria, ..	40	41	34	15	4	3	42
Pneumonia, ..	30	31	32	6	8	2	28

\* Exclusive of 10 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 18·4 and 18·8; Dublin Registration Area, 18·1 and 18·3; Dublin City, 17·1 and 18·9; Belfast, 20·0 and 18·8; Cork, 17·7 and 19·4; Londonderry, 24·3 and 20·9; Limerick, 6·8 and 15·9; and Waterford, 17·1 and 15·7.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·4 per 1,000. Among the 161 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from enteric fever, one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 11 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years and 3 from influenza. The 26 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Included in the 9 deaths from all causes for Waterford, is one from influenza. Of the 7 deaths from all causes for Dundalk, one is from enteric fever. One of the 6 deaths from all causes for Newry is from influenza, and of the 3 deaths from all causes for Portadown, one is from diphtheria.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 193—98 boys and 95 girls—and the deaths to 161—85 males and 76 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the ten weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·4 and was 7·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the ten weeks was 19·0, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·0.

Included in the 147 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 6 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were 0, one, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and 3; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 3, and 4; and deaths from influenza one, 2, and 4.

There were 18 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia and 6 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 21 deaths (including 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 24, 20, and 28, in the three weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 21 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were registered, one of which was caused by burns and one by gunshot wounds.

One death was attributed to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, 2 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 4 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 49 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 39 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 147 deaths recorded, 62 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 12th March, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 15·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 18·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 19·3, and for Edinburgh 18·7.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 12th March. From this Report it appears that of 142 cases notified, 33 were diphtheria, 31 scarlet fever, 15 chicken-pox, 13 pulmonary tuberculosis, 21 other forms of tuberculosis, 13 acute primary pneumonia, 13 erysipelas, one malaria, one enteric fever, and one ophthalmia neonatorum. Among the 798 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 243 of scarlet fever, 242 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 163 of diphtheria, 48 of measles, 35 of venereal disease, 17 of erysipelas, 9 of whooping cough, 3 of acute influenzal pneumonia, one of enteric fever, one of puerperal fever, and one chicken-pox.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 12th March, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 19	.	1	.	.	—	—	4	—	4	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	10	24
	Feb. 26	1	1	.	.	—	—	4	—	1	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	10	22
	Mar. 5	.	1	.	.	—	—	3	—	1	2	—	.	—	1	.	.	5	.	.	15	40
	Mar. 12	2	.	.	.	—	—	5	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	7	1	.	15	38
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	—	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	3
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	—	—	3	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	4
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
City of Belfast	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	35	62
	Feb. 26	1	3	.	.	.	—	18	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	31	62
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	8	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	25	48
	Mar. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	12	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	18	43
City of Cork	Feb. 19	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	14	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15a
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	9a
	Mar. 12	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	22	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	25b
City of Londonderry	Feb. 19	3	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	8
	Feb. 26	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Mar. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Limerick	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	Feb. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
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	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including one case of whooping-cough. (b) Not including 4 cases of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 12th March, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever nil and 4; typhus nil and 2; measles 24 and 27; scarlet fever 13 and 69,\* and diphtheria 14 and 43. Twelve cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 30 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, 2 were from diphtheria and one was from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 12th March, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 13 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12TH MARCH, 1921.																		NUMBERS REGISTERED.		METEOROLOGY. (c)									
		Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	From all Causes.		From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)		DEATHS.														WEEK ENDING 12TH MARCH, 1921.		Air Temperature.															
				(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.			
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS		1,183,268	20.7	25.3	18.4	1.4	575	417	71	114	3	.	.	1	1	12	7	.	11	45	13	12	42	55	8	.	10	7	135	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA		423,000	30.3	23.8	18.1	0.7	193	147	20	49	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	6	18	3	4	18	25	3	.	3	2	62	3	(d)	57.8	21.5	50.3	35.5	54.2	90.0	0.02	
CITY OF DUBLIN		324,000	39.7	24.8	17.1	0.8	154	106	16	30	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	4	14	2	4	14	20	2	.	2	1	51	3	(e)	56.1	29.0	50.1	38.8	44.5	50.0	0.3	
RATHMINES and RATHGAR		41,100	24.0	16.5	15.2	.	13	12	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
FENBROKE		20,800	19.6	23.7	33.9	1.7	14	20	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	2	2	1	.	1	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK		9,806	9.0	21.3	10.6	.	4	2	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KINGSTOWN		17,300	11.8	24.1	21.1	.	8	7	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BELFAST		420,000	28.1	28.8	20.0	2.4	232	161	37	26	2	.	.	1	1	11	1	3	17	7	7	3	23	11	3	3	5	4	40	1	53.5	23.0	48.9	36.6	42.7	0.12			
CORK		76,673	28.6	27.2	17.7	2.7	10	26	3	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	1	1	1	.	4	1	1	1	1	11	.	52	32	49.6	41.1	45.4	40.20			
LONDON DERRY		45,000	17.4	25.5	24.3	.	22	21	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	1	.	1	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK		38,518	16.1	10.8	6.8	1.4	8	5	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD		27,464	19.1	26.6	17.1	.	14	9	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY		13,255	2.5	14.7	12.5	.	6	3	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK		13,128	9.5	14.7	12.5	.	13	7	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LURGAN		12,553	14.7	14.7	12.5	.	6	3	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA		12,501	8.4	14.7	12.5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
LISBURN		12,388	10.9	14.7	12.5	.	12	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
NEWRY		11,963	17.0	14.7	12.5	.	4	6	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PORTADOWN		11,727	15.3	14.7	12.5	.	3	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WEXFORD		11,531	22.8	14.7	12.5	.	5	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BALLYMENA		11,381	9.3	14.7	12.5	.	3	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO		11,163	3.8	14.7	12.5	.	4	2	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY		10,514	11.4	14.7	12.5	.	1	7	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE		10,300	17.4	14.7	12.5	.	4	2	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL		10,209	7.8	14.7	12.5	.	4	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON		4,531,971	—	—	15.1	—	2074	1311	179	517	1	.	.	2	3	9	25	—	—	100	16	122	165	176	22	8	41	101	611	3	50.6	24.0	46.3	35.6	40.9	0.03			
EDINBURGH		446,200	—	—	18.7	—	172	160	25	58	2	.	.	4	3	4	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	7	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
GLASGOW		1,100,400	—	—	19.3	—	569	407	70	115	2	.	.	2	1	32	3	—	17	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN [REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 10th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 12th March, 1921.															Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	262.0	161	4	16	6	2	4	3	7	4	6	12	22	20	26	29	147
Enteric Fever..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	5.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	2.8	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diphtheria ..	.6	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Croup ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	35.0	6	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	2	6
Dysentery ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Erysipelas ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	27.2	18	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	4	3	4	2	.	.	18
Tuberculous Meningitis	3.4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	4	2	.	.	1
Abdominal Tuberculosis	2.0	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	2.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Venereal Diseases ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cancer ..	11.8	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	4
Tumour, situation undefined.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	1.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	2
Other General Diseases	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Alcoholism ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Simple Meningitis ..	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Apoplexy.	4.8	7	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	1	1
Softening of Brain ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	3.0	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	4
Epilepsy ..	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	4.0	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	4.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Pericarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Endocarditis ..	.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	17.6	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	2	2	1	6	13
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1.4	4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	3
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.6	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Bronchitis ..	38.0	24	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	6	6	21
Broncho-pneumonia ..	18.0	9	.	4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	9
Lobar pneumonia ..	2.8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	14.6	6	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	.	2	.	6
Pleurisy ..	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	2.8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	3









TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the Persons whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 12th March, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 12TH MARCH, 1921.																																																						
OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)			AGES.										CAUSES OF DEATH.										CAUSES OF DEATH.																															
			Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.		Total Number of Deaths.		Under 5 years.							Typhus.			Small-pox.		Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Whooping-cough.		Diphtheria.		Dysentery.		Influenza.		Tuberculosis.		Cancer.		Convulsions.		Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea & Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.		Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.		Violence.		Other Causes.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.							
							5 and under 15.		15 and under 25.		25 and under 45.		45 and under 65.		65 and under 75.		75 and upwards.		Enteric Fever.		Typhus.		Small-pox.		Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Whooping-cough.		Diphtheria.		Dysentery.		Influenza.		Pulmonary.		Other Forms.		Cancer.		Convulsions.		(24)		(25)		(26)		(27)		(28)	
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)								
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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.													
Dec. 18.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Mar. 31.	Apr. 7.	Apr. 14.	Apr. 21.	Apr. 28.	May 5.	May 12.	May 19.	May 26.	May 31.	Jun 7.	Jun 14.	Jun 21.	
No. of weeks in Annual Series	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	50	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Births registered	153	154	162	248	209	201	198	230	167	214	188	210	193	207	180	279	244	243	173	183	225	201	223	196	204	232	233	
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	201	168	137	211	223	214	217	213	215	211	205	212	215	179	173	150	227	203	212	194	214	201	206	207	215	203	204	
Number of Deaths	161	141	214	139	145	135	128	114	153	148	147	153	147	126	136	166	157	146	149	136	114	128	149	154	141	161	161	
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	20.2	17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	15.9	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	20.0	
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	164	162	167	187	170	178	180	178	180	184	208	216	218	149	148	149	152	158	143	160	169	183	171	175	174	179	179	
Ages	28	13	6	10	14	2	5	7	8	15	12	15	14	7	12	10	12	8	41	38	20	41	44	43	39	37	37	
Under one year	14	10	19	6	8	6	13	17	18	29	26	21	19	13	10	7	12	14	15	14	11	14	17	14	11	16	16	
5-25	21	16	30	37	24	26	17	18	29	26	21	19	17	20	13	24	28	17	17	17	16	22	11	19	25	25		
25-45	38	32	60	26	39	31	32	27	36	34	37	30	39	29	36	43	29	39	28	36	16	20	26	24	23	32	32	
45-65	47	55	64	34	45	39	34	32	44	38	41	52	49	37	36	41	43	38	35	22	35	21	35	31	30	26	26	
65 and upwards																												
Deaths from:—																												
Enteric Fever	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	
Typhus	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Small-pox	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Measles	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Scarlet Fever	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Whooping-cough	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Diphtheria	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Dysentery	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Influenza	5	9	13	18	13	10	13	11	6	18	16	24	18	20	9	15	16	12	16	18	11	13	5	13	17	17	17	
Tuberculosis	4	4	3	2	3	4	2	3	9	6	4	4	3	4	2	3	6	3	2	2	2	7	4	5	3	7	7	
Cancer	5	5	15	5	5	6	13	5	16	6	10	8	4	6	9	11	15	7	8	13	7	4	6	11	6	3	3	
Diseases of Respiratory System	16	12	27	12	18	14	12	13	5	10	13	12	18	7	10	20	11	14	16	15	11	14	23	26	16	23	23	
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	28	29	32	15	26	15	11	18	23	26	20	29	25	14	21	22	18	25	16	17	14	19	15	14	21	11	11	
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	7	6	2	3	4	2	4	2	4	2	3	4	3	2	3	2	6	1	3	3	1	1	2	1	4	3	3	
Violent Deaths	1	3	8	12	5	2	3	1	4	4	8	4	3	1	1	2	1	1	4	4	1	1	2	1	1	5	5	
Number of Uncertified Deaths	5	2	8	5	4	3	2	5	5	8	5	6	3	2	5	4	2	6	1	1	1	3	5	1	3	1	1	
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	38.2	48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	40.5	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	48.9	
B Mean Minimum	27.8	37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	33.1	33.1	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	36.6	
Mean of A and B	33.0	42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	36.8	39.7	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	42.7	
Rainfall in inches	0.39	0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	0.38	0.81	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63	0.12	0.12	





TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 12th March, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2
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New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Total, ..	2	.	.	.	.	5	7	.	1	.	.	.	.	7	1	.	15	38

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 12th March, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 12th March,			
	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	12	10	9	.	5	.	4
Typhus, .. ..	5	2	3	.	1	.	2
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	12	9	4	24	1	.	27
Scarlet Fever,.. ..	61	62	66	13	10	.	69*
Diphtheria, .. ..	41	34	42	14	11	2	43
Pneumonia, .. ..	31	32	28	12	9	1	30

\* Exclusive of 12 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·9 and 18·5; Dublin Registration Area, 17·3 and 18·1; Dublin City, 17·4 and 18·4; Belfast, 18·3 and 18·7; Cork, 15·6 and 18·8; Londonderry, 8·1 and 17·7; Limerick, 25·7 and 17·3; and Waterford, 9·5 and 16·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. Among the 147 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 16 from whooping-cough and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 23 deaths from all causes for Cork include 4 from diphtheria. Among the 19 deaths from all causes for Limerick are 2 from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. Included in the 5 deaths from all causes for Waterford is one from diphtheria, and one of the 5 deaths from all causes for Newry is from whooping-cough.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 175—79 boys and 96 girls—and the deaths to 159—85 males and 74 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 19) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the eleven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·4 and was 7·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the eleven weeks was 19·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·2.

Included in the 140 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were one, 3, and 2; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 4, and 3; and deaths from influenza 2, 4, and 6.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 30 deaths (including 23 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from abdominal tuberculosis, and 5 from disseminated tuberculosis) as against 20, 28, and 21 in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 14 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

Four accidental deaths were registered, one of which was caused by a vehicle.

Two deaths were attributed to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to disseminated tuberculosis, 2 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to congenital malformations, 5 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 33 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 23 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 140 deaths recorded, 62 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th March, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 17·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 18·9, and for Edinburgh 18·5.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 19th March. From this Report it appears that of 132 cases notified, 44 were scarlet fever, 32 diphtheria, 18 pulmonary tuberculosis, 13 other forms of tuberculosis, 10 chicken-pox, 9 erysipelas, 2 acute primary pneumonia, one malaria, one acute influenzal pneumonia, one cerebro-spinal fever, and one ophthalmia neonatorum. Among the 821 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 242 of scarlet fever, 249 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 162 of diphtheria, 60 of measles, 40 of venereal disease, 15 of erysipelas, 8 of whooping cough, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, one of enteric fever, one of cerebro-spinal fever, and one of chicken-pox.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 19th March, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Feb. 26	1	1	.	.	.	—	4	—	1	2	—	—	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	10	22
	Mar. 5	.	1	.	.	.	—	8	—	2	2	—	.	—	1	.	.	5	.	.	15	40
	Mar. 12	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	7	1	.	15	38
	Mar. 19	5	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	4	24
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	3
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	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Kingstown Urban District	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	2
City of Belfast	Feb. 26	1	3	.	.	.	—	18	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	31	62
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	8	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	25	48
	Mar. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	12	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	18	43
	Mar. 19	1	2	.	.	.	—	9	—	7	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	20	43
City of Cork	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	15a
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	9a
	Mar. 12	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	22	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	25b
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	17	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18c
City of Londonderry	Feb. 26	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Mar. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
City of Limerick	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Feb. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Mar. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including one case of whooping-cough. (b) Not including 4 cases of varicella. (c) Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 19th March, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever 6 and 8; typhus nil and 2; measles 2 and 14; scarlet fever 7 and 61,\* and diphtheria 7 and 38. Eleven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 39 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, 2 were from diphtheria.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 19th March, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		POPULATION.		REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 19TH MARCH, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																										
				Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS.		NUMBERS REGISTERED. DEATHS.										WEEK ENDING 19TH MARCH, 1921.																								
						BIRTHS.										Air Temperature.																								
Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	(1)	(2)	(3)	From all Causes.		(5)	TOTAL NUMBER.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	Caused by		Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.			
					(4)	(6)		(7)	(8)	(9)	(19)											(20)	Cancer.	Pneumonia.	Other.													(24)	(25)	(26)
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS		1,183,268	20.7	22.3	16.9	1.5	507	384	63	95	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	17	7	.	3	51	18	15	30	52	7	.	13	16	138	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA		423,000	30.3	21.6	17.3	0.4	175	140	20	33	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	23	7	7	8	20	2	.	6	5	62	4	(d)	56.9	33.9	52.0	36.5	44.3	31.36	
CITY OF DUBLIN		324,000	39.7	23.0	17.4	0.5	143	108	16	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	16	7	5	5	18	2	.	6	5	53	3	(e)	58.0	35.2	52.3	39.5	45.9	30.89	
RATHMINES and RATHGAR		41,100	24.0	15.2	10.1	.	12	8	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE		30,800	19.6	25.4	20.3	.	15	12	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
BLACKROCK		9,806	9.0	26.6	21.1	.	5	7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
KINGSTOWN		17,300	11.8	15.1	21.1	.	5	7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
BELFAST		420,000	28.1	25.6	18.3	2.4	206	147	29	40	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	17	7	4	14	21	3	3	1	1	2	45	5	56.0	32.5	52.1	38.0	45.3	1.03		
CORK		70,673	28.6	21.8	15.6	2.7	32	23	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	2	1	1	54	3	5	13	1	54	38	51.1	42.7	46.9	1.46		
LONDONDERRY		45,000	17.4	22.0	8.1	.	19	7	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	10	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
LIMERICK		38,518	16.1	16.2	25.7	6.8	12	19	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
WATERFORD		27,464	19.1	16.2	25.7	1.9	5	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
GALWAY		13,255	2.5	9.5	9.5	.	4	7	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
DUNDALK		13,128	9.5	14.7	9.5	.	9	6	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
DROGHEDA		12,553	14.7	12.5	14.7	.	10	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
LISBURN		12,388	8.4	12.501	8.4	.	3	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
NEWRY		11,963	17.0	11.963	17.0	.	4	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
PORTADOWN		11,727	15.3	11.727	15.3	.	7	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
WEXFORD		11,531	22.8	11.531	22.8	.	2	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
BALYMENA		11,381	9.3	11.381	9.3	.	2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
SILIGO		11,163	3.8	11.163	3.8	.	4	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
KILKENNY		10,514	11.4	11.163	11.4	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TRALEE		10,300	17.4	11.4	17.4	.	1	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
CLONMEL		10,209	7.8	11.4	7.8	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
LONDON		4,531,971	—	—	13.1	—	2,004	1,142	157	431	.	.	.	.	.	5	9	7	20	—	—	101	15	96	117	147	17	3	44	90	511	2	61	36	56.6	42.1	49.4	0.34		
EDINBURGH		446,200	—	—	18.5	—	204	158	30	55	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	—	—	52.0	35.0	48.9	38.1	43.5	1.01		
GLASGOW		1,100,400	—	—	18.9	—	554	398	80	102	.	.	.	.	.	1	47	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	—	—	—	51.6	34.9	48.4	38.8	43.3	2.55			

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 11th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 19th March, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	235.4	159	9	13	6	4	4	3	7	4	14	17	24	18	22	14	140
Enteric Fever ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	3.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	3.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diphtheria ..	.6	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Croup ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	25.0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2
Dysentery ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Erysipelas ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	21.8	24	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	1	3	6	5	.	1	2	23
Tuberculous Meningitis	3.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Abdominal Tuberculosis	2.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	2.2	5	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	5
Venereal Diseases ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cancer ..	10.6	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	3	.	.	7
Tumour, situation undefined.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other General Diseases	3.2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Alcoholism ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Simple Meningitis ..	1.2	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cerebral Hamorrhage, Apoplexy.	5.8	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	4
Softening of Brain ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	3.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Epilepsy ..	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	6.0	2	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	2.8	4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	.	3
Pericarditis ..	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Acute Endocarditis ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	16.4	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	2	4	4	14
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1.8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bronchitis ..	34.4	18	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Broncho-pneumonia ..	16.8	3	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	3	4	5	18
Lobar pneumonia ..	2.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	10.2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	1	1	.	5
Pleurisy ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	2.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1



registered in the ELEVENTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 19th March, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.		Average number of deaths in 11th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 19th March, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
			All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
				0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
				Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Diseases of Stomach ..	.8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	2.4	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Appendicitis and Typhilitis.	.2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	2.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	
Other Diseases of Liver	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	1.6	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Acute Nephritis ..	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Chronic Bright's Disease	4.4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	4	.	7	
Urinary Calculi ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Congenital Malformations.	.2	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Premature Birth ..	4.8	5	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	
Congenital Debility ..	4.6	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Old Age ..	9.4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	4	
Other Specified Diseases	2.2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
VIOLENCE.																		
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Burns and Scalds ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Drowning ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Railways ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Vehicles and Horses ..	.4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Violent Deaths ..	1.4	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Not included in above—																		
Homicide ..	.2	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	2	1	.	1	.	.	2	
Suicide ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Execution ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	3.6	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 19th MARCH, 1921, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.			WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 19TH MARCH, 1921.										DEATHS.																						
COLS.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.	CAUSED BY										IN INSTITUTIONS.																						
			TOTAL DEATHS.										IN INSTITUTIONS.																						
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)
		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.		
North City.																																			
	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.	31,300	20.0	1.7	12	1	1	1	1	6	2								1			1	2	2							6				
	" " 1, W.	42,900	17.0	1.2	14	1	1	1	1	6	3										1	2													
	" " 2	28,700	25.4		14	4	2	1	4	2	1										2	2													
	" " 3	35,600	19.0	1.5	13	3	1	1	4	1	1										2	2													
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700			3	1		1		1	1																								
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	11.0		3	1																													
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	4.5		1																														
South City.																																			
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	44,900	17.4		15	1	1	1	2	6	3										2	2	1	1							4				
	" " 2	18,900	11.0		4		1			1	2																								
	" " 3	46,200	18.5		16	3		1	8	4	5										2	1	1												
	" " 4	34,200	19.8		13	1			4	3	1										3	3													
	NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	14.5		3				1		1											2													
Urban Districts.																																			
	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	10.1		8	1	1		2	2	2										2														
	PEMBROKE	30,800	20.3		12	1	1	1	2	1	5										4														
	BLACKROCK	9,800	26.6		5				1	2	2																								
	KINGSTOWN	17,300	21.1		7	2			2	1	1										1														
	TOTAL	170,000	17.5	0.9	57	11	4	5	10	16	8								1		1	7	4	3											
	SOUTH	154,000	17.3		51	5	1	1	3	7	15										9	3	2	5	12										
	North and South	324,000	17.4	0.5	108	16	5	6	17	34	23								1		1	16	7	5	5	18	2								
	Total Urban Districts	99,000	16.9		32	4		2	7	6	10										1	7		2	3	2									
	Total Registration Area	423,000	17.3	0.4	140	20	5	3	7	24	33								1		2	23	7	7	8	20	2								
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).																			1			1		1											

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.



TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 19th March, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 19TH MARCH, 1921.																																
CAUSES OF DEATH.															AGES.																	
CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Popula- tion in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	Under 5 years.							Ages.							CAUSES OF DEATH.										Number of Uncer- tified Deaths.			
					(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)		(28)	(29)	
	COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	
ALL PERSONS.																																
CLASSES.																																
DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																																
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.	14,658	10.7	3	1	1	2	12	4	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6	1	1	.	3	3	.	.	2	18	1	
II.	MIDDLE CLASS	101,798	18.4	36	5	2	4	2	17	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	8	1	3	1	3	4	1	.	2	17	1	
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS,	108,420	18.3	38	6	2	4	2	17	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	8	2	3	1	3	7	1	.	2	17	1	
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS	167,479	17.1	55	16	3	4	15	12	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	1	3	6	1	.	1	22	2	
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES,	5,602	—	27	4	1	1	2	8	7	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	1	3	6	1	.	1	9	.	
PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																																
I.	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public De- partments	7,868	—	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.
2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class																																
II.	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	1,347	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
MIDDLE CLASS.																																
II.	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Ser- vice, Banking, &c.	9,523	—	2	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.																																
6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants																																
7. Miscellaneous—including all House- holders in Second Class Localities not included in above																																
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS,	33,827	—	12	1	.	1	1	.	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	7	1	
8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Prin- ters, Watchmakers, and Jewellers																																
9. Building and Furnishing Trades																																
10. Clothing Trades																																
11. Food Supply Trades																																
12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades																																
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.	6,772	—	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	
13. Petty Shopkeepers																																
IV.	ARMY, POLICE, POSTAL DELIVERY AND PRISON SERVICES, &c.	12,977	—	12	3	1	1	8	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	6	3	.	
15. Domestic Servants																																
16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c.																																
17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.																																
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.	5,602	—	27	4	1	1	2	8	7	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	1	1	3	6	1	.	1	9	.	
18. Workhouse Inmates																																

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City.—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

		Dublin Registration Area.													Belfast City.												
WEEK ENDING		Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Dec. 25.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.
No. of weeks in Annual Series		51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	51	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Births registered		154	162	248	299	201	198	230	167	214	188	210	193	175	180	279	244	243	173	183	225	201	223	196	204	232	206
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years		168	137	211	223	214	217	213	215	211	205	212	215	206	173	150	227	203	212	194	214	201	206	207	215	203	205
Number of Deaths		141	214	139	145	135	128	114	153	148	147	153	147	140	136	166	157	146	149	136	114	128	149	154	141	161	147
Annual Death-rate per 1,000		17.7	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	17.2	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years		162	167	187	170	178	180	178	180	184	208	216	218	205	148	149	152	158	143	160	169	183	171	175	174	179	185
Ages}		22	31	22	27	28	25	23	21	31	27	28	20	20	29	41	33	30	41	38	20	41	44	43	39	37	29
{ 1-5 years		6	10	14	2	5	7	8	8	7	6	10	8	8	12	10	12	8	13	9	16	10	16	23	11	16	16
{ 5-25 "		10	19	6	8	6	13	6	15	12	15	14	14	15	10	7	12	14	15	14	11	14	17	14	13	25	17
{ 25-45 "		16	30	37	24	26	17	18	29	26	21	19	17	24	13	24	28	17	17	17	16	22	11	19	25	25	17
{ 45-65 "		32	60	26	39	31	32	27	36	34	37	30	39	40	36	43	29	28	36	36	16	20	26	24	23	32	26
{ 65 and upwards		55	64	34	45	39	34	32	44	38	41	52	46	33	36	41	43	38	35	22	35	21	35	31	30	26	40
Deaths from :—																											
Enteric Fever		1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	2	2	2
Typhus		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Small-pox		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Measles		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Scarlet Fever		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Whooping-cough		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diphtheria		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dysentery		1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Influenza		4	4	4	3	3	1	1	2	1	2	4	6	2	1	2	3	3	2	1	1	1	2	1	3	3	3
{ Pulmonary Tuberculosis		13	18	13	10	13	11	6	18	18	16	24	18	23	9	15	16	12	16	18	11	13	5	13	17	17	17
{ Other Forms		3	2	3	4	2	3	3	9	6	4	4	3	7	2	3	6	3	2	2	2	7	4	5	3	7	7
Cancer		5	15	5	5	6	13	5	16	6	10	8	4	7	9	11	15	7	8	13	7	4	6	11	6	3	4
Diseases of Respiratory System		12	27	12	18	14	12	13	5	10	13	12	18	8	10	20	11	14	16	15	11	14	23	26	16	23	14
{ Pneumonia		29	32	15	26	15	11	18	23	26	20	29	25	20	21	22	18	25	16	17	14	19	15	14	21	11	21
{ Others		6	2	3	4	2	4	2	4	2	3	4	3	2	3	2	6	1	3	3	1	1	2	1	4	3	3
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years		3	8	1	5	2	1	1	1	2	1	4	3	6	2	4	10	2	4	4	1	3	2	1	1	3	1
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards		3	8	12	5	2	3	5	4	4	8	4	3	6	2	4	10	2	4	4	1	3	3	1	3	5	1
Violent Deaths,		2	8	5	4	3	2	5	5	8	5	6	3	4	5	4	2	6	1	1	1	5	5	1	2	2	5
Number of Uncertified Deaths		2	8	5	4	3	2	5	5	8	5	6	3	4	5	4	2	6	1	1	1	5	5	1	2	2	5
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.		48.5	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	46.3	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1
B Mean Minimum		37.0	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	33.1	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6
Mean of A and B		42.7	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	39.7	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3
Rainfall in inches		0.48	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.81	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63	0.12	1.03



**TABLE VII.**—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 19th March, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.												DEATHS FROM												No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Inquest Cases.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																														
				All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.																																		
																					Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.																																					
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)																															
CITY OF BELFAST.																																																														
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.	15,879	20	29.6	3.3	9	1	3	4	1	3	1	6	4	4	4	4	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 2	49,500	21	24.2	6.3	23	4	1	1	1	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4																														
Do. 3	50,032	31	14.6	3.2	14	1	1	1	2	1	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4																														
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Do. 5	16,112	12	9.7	4.2	15	5	1	1	2	1	6	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
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Do. 8	5,964	3	26.2	1.8	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 9	24,427	10	17.1	1.8	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 10	28,958	15	7.2	—	12	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 11	—	11	—	—	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 12	—	14	—	—	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 13	175	1	41.4	4.6	18	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 14	22,669	14	—	—	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
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Total,	386,947	206	18.3	2.4	147	29	16	17	19	26	40	1	1	1	1	1	16	1	1	1	17	7	4	14	21	3	1	1	2	45	5	5																														
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Do. 2	10,399	3	10.0	—	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 3	9,793	4	26.6	10.6	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 4	9,139	4	17.1	5.7	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 5	6,250	2	8.3	—	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 6	11,581	6	18.0	—	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Do. 7	16,056	7	16.2	3.2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1																														
Total,	76,673	32	15.6	2.7	23	1	5	5	7	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	16	1	1	1	17	7	4	14	21	3	1	1	2	13	1	1																														

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 17.6 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 1.6.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 19th March, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4
"  "  1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	3
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"  "  3, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	3
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
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New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	5	.	.	.	.	4	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	4	24

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 19th March, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th March,			
	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	10	9	4	6	2	.	8
Typhus, .. ..	2	3	2	.	.	.	2
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	9	4	27	2	15	.	14
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	62	66	69	7	15	.	61*
Diphtheria, .. ..	34	42	43	7	10	2	38
Pneumonia, .. ..	32	28	30	11	2	.	39

\* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·4 and 17·7 ; Dublin Registration Area, 16·8 and 17·8 ; Dublin City, 16·9 and 17·6 ; Belfast, 15·4 and 17·8 ; Cork, 25·2 and 19·4 ; Londonderry, 5·8 and 14·8 ; Limerick, 10·8 and 15·2 ; and Waterford, 15·2 and 16·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 124 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from typhus, 2 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 7 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. The 10 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny include one from enteric fever and the only death recorded for Tralee is also from enteric fever,

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 189—93 boys and 91 girls—and the deaths to 153—76 males and 77 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 17) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the twelve weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·3 and was 7·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twelve weeks was 19·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·4.

Included in the 136 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, one from dysentery, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 3 from influenza, and one from cerebro-spinal fever.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were 0, one and 0 ; deaths from diphtheria were 3, 2, and one ; deaths from dysentery, were one, 0 and 0 ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 4, 3, and 2 ; and deaths from influenza 4, 6, and 2.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 29 deaths (including 23 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease, as against 28, 21, and 30 in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 14 by organic diseases of the heart, and 21 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one of which was caused by burns and one by a vehicle.

One death was attributed to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to influenza, one to abdominal tuberculosis, one to meningitis, 3 to convulsions, 6 to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 24 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 136 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 26th March, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·8, and for Edinburgh 13·4.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 26th March. From this Report it appears that of 97 cases notified, 20 were scarlet fever, 18 diphtheria, 16 pulmonary tuberculosis, 19 other forms of tuberculosis, 9 chicken-pox, 8 erysipelas, 5 acute primary pneumonia, one acute influenzal pneumonia, and one puerperal fever. Among the 773 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 253 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 9 other forms of tuberculosis, 219 of scarlet fever, 150 of diphtheria, 56 of measles, 39 of venereal disease, 10 of erysipelas, 10 of whooping cough, 3 of acute influenzal pneumonia, one of enteric fever, and one of cerebro-spinal fever.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 26th March, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 5	5	1	•	•	•	—	8	—	8	2	—	•	—	1	•	•	5	•	•	15	40
	Mar. 12	2	•	•	•	•	—	5	—	7	1	—	•	—	•	•	•	7	•	•	15	38
	Mar. 19	5	•	•	•	•	—	4	—	5	1	—	•	—	•	•	•	4	•	•	4	24
	Mar. 26	1	•	•	•	•	—	5	—	3	2	—	•	—	1	•	•	6	•	•	17	35
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 5	•	•	•	•	•	—	3	—	1	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	4
	Mar. 12	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	1	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	2
	Mar. 19	•	•	•	•	•	—	3	—	2	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	2	•	•	—	7
	Mar. 26	•	•	•	•	•	—	4	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	4
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 5	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	•	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	2
	Mar. 12	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	•	•	1	•	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Mar. 19	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Mar. 26	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 5	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1
	Mar. 12	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Mar. 19	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	—	1	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	2
	Mar. 26	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Kingstown Urban District	Mar. 5	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
	Mar. 12	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
	Mar. 19	•	•	•	•	•	—	1	—	1	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	2
	Mar. 26	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
City of Belfast	Mar. 5	•	•	•	•	•	—	12	—	8	1	—	•	—	•	•	•	2	•	•	25	48
	Mar. 12	1	•	•	•	•	—	9	—	12	1	—	•	—	•	•	•	2	•	•	18	43
	Mar. 19	1	2	•	•	•	—	9	—	7	2	—	•	—	•	•	•	2	•	•	20	43
	Mar. 26	1	•	1	•	•	—	11	—	9	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	1	•	•	30	53
City of Cork	Mar. 5	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	8	1	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	9a
	Mar. 12	2	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	22	1	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	25b
	Mar. 19	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	—	17	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	18c
	Mar. 26	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	6	1	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	7
City of Londonderry	Mar. 5	1	•	•	•	•	—	1	—	1	1	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	—	—	4
	Mar. 12	•	•	•	•	•	—	1	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	—	—	1
	Mar. 19	•	•	•	•	•	—	3	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	—	—	3
	Mar. 26	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	4	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Mar. 5	•	•	•	•	•	—	1	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	1
	Mar. 12	•	•	•	•	•	—	1	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	1
	Mar. 19	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•
	Mar. 26	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•
City of Waterford	Mar. 5	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•
	Mar. 12	•	•	•	•	•	—	2	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	2
	Mar. 19	•	•	•	•	•	—	2	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•
	Mar. 26	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•

(a) Not including one case of whooping-cough. (b) Not including 4 cases of varicella. (c) Not including one case of varicella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 26th March, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever 2 and 8; typhus nil and 2; measles 4 and 7; scarlet fever 5 and 51,\* and diphtheria 13 and 39. Eleven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 35 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, one was from diphtheria and 3 were from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 26th March, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.																BIRTHS		METEOROLOGY. (c)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page, of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Anagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal fever. NOTE.—The returns for the districts of Limerick No. 2 and Clonmel have not been received in time for press.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 26th March, 1921.																	
CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 12th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	All Ages.	Ages at Death.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	236.6	153	6	19	6	6	4	6	2	7	12	14	15	18	26	12	136
Enteric Fever ..	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	8.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	6.6	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diphtheria ..	.4	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Croup ..	.4	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Influenza ..	19.2	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	3
Dysentery ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Erysipelas ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	27.4	25	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	3	4	7	4	3	.	.	23
Tuberculous Meningitis	1.6	3	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1.2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	2.1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Veneral Diseases	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cancer ..	9.0	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	5	.	7
Tumour, situation undefined.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	.6	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other General Diseases	1.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.
Alcoholism ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Simple Meningitis ..	2.4	3	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy.	8.0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2
Softening of Brain ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	4.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Epilepsy ..	1.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	4.2	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	3.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Pericarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Endocarditis ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	15.6	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	3	3	6	1	14
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Bronchitis ..	33.4	23	.	6	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	6	5	3	21
Broncho-pneumonia ..	14.6	5	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
Lobar pneumonia ..	3.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	11.0	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
Pleurisy ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	1.4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	3



registered in the TWELFTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 26th March, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.		Average number of deaths in 12th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 26th March, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
			All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
				0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
				Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3.4	4	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	2.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.
Cirrhosis of Liver	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	.8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Acute Nephritis	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Bright's Disease	6.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2
Urinary Calculi	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.0	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	3
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Congenital Malformations.	1.2	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Premature Birth	4.4	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Congenital Debility	4.8	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Old Age	9.0	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	5
Other Specified Diseases	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
VIOLENCE.																		
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Drowning	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Ships, Boats, Docks	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c.	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths	1.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Not included in above—																		
Homicide	.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Suicide	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes	3.0	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	3

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 26TH MARCH, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented there-by, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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\* See note (†) at foot of first page;





TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
WEEK ENDING	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Jan. 1.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.
No. of weeks in Annual Series	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	52	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
BIRTHS registered	162	248	209	201	198	230	167	214	188	210	193	175	189	279	244	243	173	183	225	201	223	196	204	232	206	214
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	137	211	223	214	217	213	215	211	205	212	215	206	221	150	227	203	212	194	212	201	206	207	215	203	205	217
Number of Deaths	214	139	145	135	128	114	153	148	147	153	147	140	136	166	157	146	149	136	114	128	149	154	141	161	147	124
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	26.9	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	21.0	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	167	187	170	178	180	178	184	184	208	216	218	205	205	149	152	158	143	160	169	183	171	175	174	179	185	184
Ages	31	22	27	28	25	23	21	31	27	28	20	20	23	41	33	30	41	38	20	41	44	43	39	37	29	25
Under one year	10	14	2	5	7	8	7	12	6	10	8	8	12	10	12	8	13	9	16	10	16	23	11	16	16	20
1-5 years	19	6	8	6	13	6	15	12	15	14	14	15	16	7	12	14	15	14	11	14	17	14	13	25	17	14
5-25	30	37	24	26	17	18	29	26	21	19	17	24	20	24	28	17	17	17	16	22	11	19	25	25	19	23
25-45	60	26	39	31	32	27	36	34	37	30	39	40	31	43	29	39	28	36	16	20	26	24	23	32	26	24
45-65	64	34	45	39	34	32	44	38	41	52	49	33	34	41	43	38	35	22	35	21	35	31	30	26	40	18
65 and upwards																										
Deaths from:—	1	2		2					1					5			1	1				1		2		2
Enteric Fever																										
Typhus																										
Small-pox																										
Measles																										
Scarlet Fever																										
Whooping-cough																										
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Other Forms																										
Cancer																										
Diseases of Respi- ratory System																										
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years																										
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards																										
Violent Deaths,																										
Number of Uncertified Deaths																										
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	53.3	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	53.6	51.8	52.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7
B Mean Minimum	43.8	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.2	41.7	39.7	37.8	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6
Mean of A and B	48.5	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	46.9	46.8	45.9	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	47.2
Rainfall in inches	1.48	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	1.87	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63	0.12	1.03	0.39



## DEATHS.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 15·5 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 3·6.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 26th March, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2
"    "    1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3
"    "    2, ... ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3
"    "    3, .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	2	6
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2
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"    "    "    3, .. ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	6
"    "    "    4, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	5
New Kilmainham, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
Total, .. .. .	1	.	.	.	.	5	3	.	2	.	1	.	.	6	.	.	17	35

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 26th March, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th March,			
	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	9	4	8	2	2	.	8
Typhus, .. .. .	3	2	2	.	.	.	2
Small-pox, .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. .. .	4	27	14	4	11	.	7
Scarlet Fever,.. ..	66	69	61	5	15	.	51*
Diphtheria, .. .. .	42	43	38	13	11	1	39
Pneumonia, .. .. .	28	30	39	11	12	3	35

\* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 18·1 and 17·6 ; Dublin Registration Area, 19·2 and 17·8 ; Dublin City, 18·8 and 17·5 ; Belfast, 17·4 and 17·8 ; Cork, 17·7 and 19·0 ; Londonderry, 25·5 and 15·9 ; Limerick, 25·7 and 18·6 ; and Waterford, 17·1 and 14·7.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 140 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 8 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one from influenza. The 22 deaths from all causes for Londonderry, include one from enteric fever, one of the 19 deaths from all causes for Limerick is from diphtheria, and one of the 4 deaths recorded for Newry is from whooping-cough.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 250—125 boys and 125 girls—and the deaths to 160—80 males and 80 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 4) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 19·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·5 and was 7·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirteen weeks was 19·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·4.

Included in the 156 deaths appertaining to the Area are 5 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 5 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 3, 2, and 4 ; and deaths from influenza 6, 2, and 3.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 29 deaths (including 22 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 21, 30, and 29 in the three weeks preceding.

Seventeen deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

Six accidental deaths were registered, 4 of which were caused by burns and scalds.

One death was attributed to homicide and there were 6 deaths by execution registered during the week.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 19 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 43 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 37 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 156 deaths recorded, 60 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 2nd April, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 13·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·7, and for Edinburgh 15·4.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 2nd April. From this Report it appears that of 107 cases notified, 25 were scarlet fever, 20 pulmonary tuberculosis, 9 other forms of tuberculosis, 18 diphtheria, 18 chicken-pox, 9 erysipelas, 3 malaria, 2 acute primary pneumonia, one acute influenzal pneumonia, one ophthalmia neonatorum, and one cerebro-spinal fever. Among the 752 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 253 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 8 other forms of tuberculosis, 207 of scarlet fever, 141 of diphtheria, 50 of measles, 41 of venereal disease, 12 of whooping cough, 9 of erysipelas, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 2 of chicken-pox, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 2nd April, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 12	2	.	.	.	—	—	5	—	7	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	7	1	.	15	38
	Mar. 19	5	.	.	.	—	—	4	—	5	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	—	.	4	24
	Mar. 26	1	.	.	.	—	—	5	—	3	1	—	.	—	1	.	.	6	1	.	17	35
	Apr. 2	1	1	.	.	—	—	2	—	3	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	15
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	2
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	3	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	4	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	4
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	.	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Apr. 2	1	.	.	.	—	—	.	.	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	2
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
City of Belfast	Mar. 12	1	.	.	.	—	—	9	—	12	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	18	43
	Mar. 19	1	2	.	.	—	—	9	—	7	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	20	43
	Mar. 26	1	.	1	.	—	—	11	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	30	53
	Apr. 2	4	.	.	.	—	—	12	—	13	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	14	45
City of Cork	Mar. 12	2	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	22	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	25 <sup>a</sup>
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	17	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18 <sup>b</sup>
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	6	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	10	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10 <sup>c</sup>
City of Londonderry	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	4	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Limerick	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	5	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
City of Waterford	Mar. 12	.	.	.	.	—	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	—	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.

(a) Not including 4 cases of varicella. (b) Not including one case of varicella. (c) Not including 2 cases of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 2nd April, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever 2 and 9; typhus one and 3; measles nil and 6; scarlet fever 8 and 44,\* and diphtheria 10 and 38. Eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 37 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, one was from each of enteric fever and diphtheria.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 2nd April, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Marree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause  
each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.		Average number of deaths in 13th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 2nd April, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
			All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
				0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
				Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	209.6	160	7	13	9	5	3	3	5	17	10	11	18	16	20	23	156	
Enteric Fever ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Measles ..	5.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Scarlet Fever ..	.3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Whooping-cough ..	4.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diphtheria ..	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Croup ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Influenza ..	10.0	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	5	
Dysentery ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Erysipelas ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Epidemic Diseases	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TUBERCULOSIS.																		
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	24.6	24	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	9	6	5	1	1	.	.	22	
Tuberculous Meningitis	4.4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1.4	4	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Scrofula ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1.8	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
VENEREAL DISEASES.																		
Cancer ..	7.8	17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	6	5	3	1	17	
Tumour, situation undefined.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Rheumatic Fever ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diabetes ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	
Other General Diseases	2.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Alcoholism ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Chronic Poisonings	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Simple Meningitis ..	3.0	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Apoplexy.	6.0	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	2	.	5	
Softening of Brain ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Paralysis, without specified cause.	2.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	
Epilepsy ..	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	3.2	7	3	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	2.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pericarditis ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Acute Endocarditis ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	13.0	16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	4	2	5	16	
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1.6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2	4	
Diseases of the Larynx ..	1.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Bronchitis ..	33.0	12	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	5	1	
Broncho-pneumonia ..	16.0	7	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	
Lobar pneumonia ..	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	6.4	3	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	
Pleurisy ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	



registered in the THIRTEENTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 2nd April, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

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TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 2ND APRIL, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY												IN INSTI- TUTIONS.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
		FROM ALL CAUSES		FROM GER- TAIN EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES*		TOTAL DEATHS.												In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.		In Workhouse Hospitals.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
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\* See note (f) at foot of first page.



TABLE V.—SHOWING IN FIVE GENERAL CLASSES AND IN SEVERAL GROUPS THE OCCUPATIONS OF SOCIAL CLASSES OF THE PERSONS WHOSE DEATHS WERE REGISTERED IN THE DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA DURING THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 2ND APRIL, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 2ND APRIL, 1921																																	
CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Popula- tion in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	AGES.							CAUSES OF DEATH.										Number of Uncer- tified Deaths.											
					Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis			Convulsions.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea & En- teritis of chil- dren under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and up- wards.	Violence.	Other Causes.			
																					Pulmonary.		Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.							
																															(1)	(2)	(3)
ALL PERSONS.																																	
I.	COGS.	397,957	—	160	34	6	22	21	34	20	23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	24	8	17	7	14	6	.	13	57	3			
II.	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																																
III.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																																
IV.	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public De- partments	14,658	17.8	5	5	.	1	1	1	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	7	.	2	1	.	2	2	2	1		
V.	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, High- Class	101,798	22.0	42	6	4	6	7	9	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	1	1	3	2	4	3	.	5	15	1			
VI.	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	108,420	19.2	40	6	4	6	7	9	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	2	3	4	5	4	.	5	15	1			
VII.	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Ser- vice, Banking, &c.	167,479	16.2	52	21	2	10	2	9	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	3	3	4	4	5	4	.	5	15	1			
VIII.	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.	5,602	—	21	2	.	1	2	3	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	1	.	4	.	1	9	.	.			
IX.	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants																																
X.	7. Miscellaneous—including all House- holders in Second Class Localities not included in above																																
XI.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.																																
XII.	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Prin- ters, Watchmakers, and Jewellers	9,523	—	8	.	.	1	1	4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5	.		
XIII.	9. Building and Furnishing Trades	25,199	—	8	2	.	2	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	.		
XIV.	10. Clothing Trades	33,249	—	13	2	.	3	3	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	5	1		
XV.	11. Food Supply Trades																																
XVI.	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades	33,827	—	13	1	.	1	3	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	.	1	.	1	4	.	.		
XVII.	13. Petty Shopkeepers																																
XVIII.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.																																
XIX.	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.	11,777	—	4	.	1	1	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	.		
XX.	15. Domestic Servants	28,823	—	10	3	1	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.		
XXI.	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c.	20,026	—	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.		
XXII.	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.	8,952	—	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
XXIII.	18. Workhouse Inmates	32,070	—	18	1	1	2	3	4	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	2	8	1	.		
XXIV.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.	6,772	—	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
XXV.	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.	12,977	—	10	3	.	2	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	.		
XXVI.	15. Domestic Servants	36,041	—	5	1	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.		
XXVII.	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c.	15,380	—	2	1	.	2	.	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	2	3	4	.	.	.	1	1	10	1		
XXVIII.	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.	103,981	—	35	16	2	6	2	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	2	3	.	.	.	3	10	.	.		
XXIX.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.																																
XXX.	18. Workhouse Inmates	5,602	—	21	2	.	1	2	3	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	1	.	4	.	.	1	9	.	.		

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Jan. 8.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	
No. of weeks in Annual Series	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Births registered	248	209	201	198	230	167	214	188	210	193	175	189	250	244	243	173	183	225	201	223	196	204	232	206	214	258
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	211	223	214	217	213	215	211	205	212	215	206	221	206	227	203	212	194	214	201	206	207	215	203	205	217	211
Number of Deaths	139	145	135	128	114	153	148	147	153	147	140	136	156	157	146	149	136	114	128	149	154	141	161	147	124	140
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	17.1	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.5	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	187	170	178	150	178	180	184	205	216	218	205	205	194	152	158	143	160	169	183	171	175	174	179	185	184	174
Ages	Under one year	22	27	28	25	23	21	31	27	28	20	23	19	33	30	41	38	20	41	44	43	39	37	29	25	29
	1-5 years	14	2	5	7	8	7	6	10	8	8	12	13	12	8	13	9	16	10	16	23	11	16	16	20	13
	5-25	6	8	6	13	6	15	12	15	14	15	16	27	12	14	15	14	11	14	17	14	13	25	17	14	15
	25-45	37	24	26	17	18	29	26	21	19	17	24	20	28	17	17	17	16	22	11	19	25	19	23	17	29
	45-65	26	39	31	32	27	36	34	37	30	40	31	34	29	39	28	36	16	20	26	24	23	32	26	24	29
	65 and upwards	34	45	39	34	32	44	38	41	52	49	33	43	43	38	35	22	35	21	35	31	30	26	40	18	37
Deaths from:—																										
Enteric Fever	2		2					1									1				1		2			
Typhus																										
Small-pox																										
Measles																										
Scarlet Fever						1																				
Whooping-cough	1		2	2																						
Diphtheria	2		2	1		4	1	1																		
Dysentery																										
Influenza	4	3		1																						
Tuberculosis	13	10	13	11	6	18	18	16	24	18	23	23	22	16	12	16	18	11	13	5	13	17	17	18	10	4
Cancer	5	5	6	13	5	16	6	10	8	4	7	7	7	6	3	2	2	2	7	4	6	3	3	4	7	9
Diseases of Respiratory System	12	18	14	12	13	5	10	13	12	18	8	9	10	11	14	16	15	11	14	23	26	16	23	14	7	6
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	15	26	15	11	18	23	26	20	29	25	20	25	14	18	25	16	17	14	19	15	14	21	11	21	15	15
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	3	4	2	4	2	4	2	3	4	3	2	4	5	6		3	3	1		2	1	4	3	3	1	1
Violent Deaths,	12	5	2	3	1	4	4	8	4	3	6	4	13	10	2	4	4			2	1	1	5	1	3	10
Number of Uncertified Deaths	5	4	3	2	5	5	8	5	6	3	4	1	3	2	6	1	1			3		2	1	5	1	3
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	52.4	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	52.4	52.4	52.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8
B Mean Minimum	37.6	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.1	38.1	39.7	37.8	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2
Mean of A and B	45.0	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	41.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	46.9	45.2	45.9	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	43.5
Rainfall in inches	0.61	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	1.00	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 2nd Apr 1, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

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NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 22·3 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 1·6.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 2nd April, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
„ „ 1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
„ „ 2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
„ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
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„ „ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	4
„ „ „ 4, ..	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	1	1	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	15

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 2nd April, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 2nd April,			
	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	4	8	8	2	.	1	9
Typhus, .. ..	2	2	2	1	.	.	3
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	27	14	7	.	1	.	6
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	69	61	51	8	15	.	44*
Diphtheria, .. ..	43	38	39	10	10	1	38
Pneumonia, .. ..	30	39	35	8	6	.	37

\* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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# Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

AND IN EIGHTEEN OF THE PRINCIPAL URBAN DISTRICTS IN IRELAND.

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DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—BIRTHS.—In the Dublin Registration Area, which consists of the city of Dublin and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 2nd April, 1921, 2,672 births—1,361 boys and 1,311 girls—being equal to an annual rate of 25·3 in every 1,000 of the population.

The number of births recorded for the city was 2,208, equivalent to an annual rate of 27·3 in every 1,000 of the population; and for the urban districts named above, 464, equal to an annual rate of 18·7 in every 1,000 of the population.

During the same period the births in London were equivalent to an annual rate of 23·1 per 1,000 of the population; in Glasgow the birth-rate was 27·2 per 1,000, and in Edinburgh 20·8 per 1,000.

DEATHS.—Omitting the deaths (175) referred to localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, the deaths for the Area, numbering 1,841, were equivalent to an annual rate of 17·4 per 1,000 of the estimated population, the average rate for the corresponding period of the previous 10 years being 24·8. The total number of deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter was 2,016—1,031 males and 985 females—affording an annual ratio of 19·1 in every 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with 26·4 per 1,000 for the first quarter of the ten years, 1911–1920.

The number of deaths of inhabitants\* of the North City districts registered last quarter was 749, representing an annual mortality of 17·6 in every 1,000 of the population; and the number in the South City districts was 690, equivalent to a rate of 17·9 per 1,000. For the urban districts the number of deaths registered was 402, being equal to an annual death-rate of 16·2 in every 1,000.

\* The death rates referring to the several Dublin districts have been calculated on the mortality for the respective districts as corrected by the distribution of deaths in public institutions according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted.

The deaths among civilians in London during the same period were equivalent to an annual rate of mortality of 13·4 in every 1,000 of the civil population; in Glasgow the death-rate was 17·5 per 1,000 of the total population, and in Edinburgh the annual rate was 17·2 per 1,000.

#### CAUSES OF DEATH IN DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

The number of deaths from the principal epidemic diseases\* registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the last quarter was 91, being equal to an annual rate of 0·86 per 1,000 of the population.

**ENTERIC FEVER.**—Only 4 deaths from this cause were registered during the quarter. Of 35 cases of the disease treated in Dublin hospitals during this period, 23 were discharged, 3 died, and 9 cases remained under treatment at the close of the quarter.

**TYPHUS.**—Two deaths from typhus, both belonging to the district of North City No. 2, were recorded. Sixteen typhus patients were under treatment in hospital, 13 of these having been admitted during the quarter; there were 11 discharges and 2 deaths, leaving 3 cases under treatment at the end of the period.

**SMALL-POX.**—No case of this disease was reported.

**MEASLES.**—There was no mortality from measles during the quarter, the average number of deaths from this cause for the corresponding quarter of the five years preceding being 46.

**SCARLET FEVER.**—To this disease only 3 deaths were attributed, as compared with an average of 5 for the first quarter of the five years, 1916-20. Of 207 cases of scarlet fever under treatment in hospitals 160 were discharged, 3 died, and 44† remained under treatment at the close of the quarter.

**WHOOPING-COUGH.**—There were 8 deaths from whooping-cough, as compared with an average of 36 for the first quarter of the five years preceding, the number of deaths from this disease registered during the second, third and fourth quarters of the year 1920 being 137, 29 and 20, respectively.

**DIPHTHERIA.**—Deaths from diphtheria which numbered 13, 10 and 19 respectively, in the three preceding quarters, rose to 25 in the quarter just ended, which number is 15 above the average for the first quarter of the five years 1916-20. Of the 25 deaths, 13 belonged to North City Districts, 5 to South City Districts, 2 to Rathmines and Rathgar urban district, one to Pembroke and 4 were deaths of persons admitted to institutions from localities outside the Registration Area.

The diphtheria patients under treatment in Dublin hospitals during the quarter numbered 176, and of these 113 were discharged, 25 died, and 38 remained under treatment at its close.

**DIARRHOEAL DISEASES.**—Including 2 deaths from dysentery, the number of deaths assigned to this group amounted to 49, and of these 45 were deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age, the average number of deaths among the latter during the first quarter of the five years preceding being 42.

**INFLUENZA.**—To this cause 35 deaths were assigned, as compared with 50, 8 and 17 in the second, third and fourth quarters of 1920.

**CEREBRO-SPINAL FEVER.**—Two deaths from this disease were recorded.

**TUBERCULOSIS.**—The deaths from all forms of tuberculous disease numbered 303, being equivalent to an annual rate of 2·87 per 1,000 of the population, and are 75, or 19·8 per cent., under the average (378) for the first quarter of the preceding five years.

Excluding 27 deaths of persons admitted to institutions from localities situated outside the Registration Area, the deaths from tuberculosis number 276, and afford an annual rate of 2·61 per 1,000 of the population; the rate for the city was 2·70 per 1,000 (North City districts, 2·64; South City districts, 2·78), and for the urban districts it was 2·30 per 1,000.

Of the 303 deaths from tuberculosis registered, 234 were attributed to pulmonary tuberculosis, 21 to tuberculous meningitis, 15 to abdominal tuberculosis, 4 to tuberculosis of the spinal column, 4 to tuberculosis of joints, 3 to tuberculosis of other organs, and 22 to disseminated tuberculosis.

**CANCER.**—The number of deaths from cancer was 128, being 6 above the average (122) for the first quarter of the preceding five years. The 128 deaths represent an annual rate of 1·21 per 1,000 of the population, as against rates of 1·21, 1·21 and 1·15 in the second, third and fourth quarters of the year 1920.

\* See note (\*) on page 130*d*.

† See note (\*) at foot of Table I.



**PNEUMONIA.**—There were 164 deaths from pneumonia (all forms) being equivalent to an annual rate of 1.55 per 1,000 of the population; these deaths comprise 87 from broncho-pneumonia; 18 from lobar pneumonia, and 59 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

**BRONCHITIS.**—Deaths from this cause numbered 242, the annual rate per 1,000 of the population represented thereby being 2.29.

**DISEASES OF THE BRAIN AND NERVOUS SYSTEM.**—There were 191 deaths assigned to these diseases, including 39 from convulsions (38 of the latter being deaths of children under 5 years of age), 2 from encephalitis lethargica, 2 from cerebro-spinal fever, and 23 from meningitis. The 191 deaths are equivalent to an annual rate of 1.81 per 1,000 of the population.

**DISEASES OF THE CIRCULATORY SYSTEM.**—To this group of diseases 229 deaths were attributed; these afford an annual rate of 2.17 per 1,000 of the population, and are 11 under the average (240) for the corresponding quarter of the five years preceding.

**CONGENITAL CONDITIONS.**—Fifteen deaths were assigned to congenital malformations, 53 to premature birth, and 51 to congenital debility.

**VIOLENCE.**—Among 91 deaths under this heading, 34 were homicidal, one a suicide, 6 were executions, and 10 deaths were caused by gunshot wounds. Of the remaining deaths by violence, 15 were by burns and scalds, (6 of the latter being deaths of children under 5 years of age), 6 by vehicles and horses, and 3 by drowning.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the QUARTER (13 weeks) ENDED SATURDAY, 2nd April, 1921.

DISEASES.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter.	No. admitted during quarter.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment on above date.
ENTERIC FEVER, ...	13	22	23	3	9
TYPHUS, ...	3	13	11	2	3
SMALL-POX, ...	...	...	...	...	...
MEASLES, ...	1	60	55	...	6
SCARLET FEVER, ...	73	134	160	3	44*
DIPHTHERIA, ...	40	136	113	25	38
PNEUMONIA, ...	32	118	94	19	37

\* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the convalescent Home of Cork, Street Fever Hospital.

In 54 instances the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness. Of the 54 cases, 19 (or 35.2 per cent.) were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 123 infants under one month old registered, there were 14 (or 11.4 per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

From Table III., page 130f, it will be seen that the annual rate represented by the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases† in the Dublin Registration Area was 0.78 per 1,000, that in the City it was 0.84, and in the urban districts 0.57, the rates for the several districts varying from 0.0 in two of the districts to 1.4 in Clontarf and Howth No. 1, part of, the 20 deaths from all causes for that district including one from whooping-cough, and one from diphtheria.

**OCCUPATIONS.**—In Table IV., page 130g, it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to an annual rate of 18.3 per 1,000 of the persons in that class according to the Census of 1911; the rate for the "Middle Class" was 16.3 per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was 15.5; and in the "General Service Class" it was 18.1.

**AGES.**—Of the 2,016 persons whose deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter, 448 were under five years of age, including 333 infants under one year of age, the latter representing a rate of 125 per 1,000 births registered. The number of deaths of children under 5 years of age is equal to an annual mortality of 43.8 in every 1,000 children at that age (according to the Census of 1911), the deaths of persons between the ages of 5 and 15 representing an annual rate of 4.1 per 1,000 persons at that age period; those between the ages of 15 and 25 were equivalent to an annual rate of 6.6 per 1,000, the total number under 25 years being equal to an annual mortality of 13.6 per 1,000 of the population at that age period (according to the Census of 1911); for those between 25 and 45 the rate was 11.0; for those between 45 and 65 it was 31.9; among persons between 65 and 75 the rate was 76.1, and among those aged 75 and upwards the average annual death rate was 163.8 per 1,000. The deaths of 15 persons (7 males and 8 females) aged 90 years and upwards were registered.

† See note (\*) on page 130d.

**PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.**—Of the 2,016 deaths recorded during the quarter, 904, or 44·8 per cent. occurred in public institutions, viz., 549 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums; 345 in the Dublin Union Workhouse; and 10 (those of persons admitted from within the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

**WEATHER.**—The mean temperature for thirteen weeks, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park was 44·4°. At Greenwich it was 45·0°; at Glasgow, 42·3°; and at Edinburgh, 42·2°.

The rainfall at Dublin during the thirteen weeks measured 6·04 inches; at Greenwich it was 2·85 inches; at Glasgow, 13·02 inches; and at Edinburgh, 6·56 inches.

#### NINETEEN PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS OF IRELAND.

As shown in Table II., the annual death-rate represented by the deaths from all causes registered during last quarter in the Dublin Registration Area and eighteen of the principal urban districts of Ireland (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from without the districts), was 17·7 per 1,000 of the population, the respective rates for the several districts being as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest:—Tralee, 13·2; Drogheda, 14·7; Portadown, 15·3; Clonmel, 15·3; Lurgan, 16·3; Londonderry, 16·4; Waterford, 17·3; Dublin Registration Area, 17·4; Belfast, 17·6; Wexford, 18·0; Galway, 18·4; Cork, 18·8; Dundalk, 18·9; Limerick, 19·3; Ballymena, 19·3; Sligo, 19·3; Lisburn, 20·0; Newry, 22·4, and Kilkenny, 25·1.

The annual rate represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases\* in the 19 districts is 1·2 per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from 0·0 in Drogheda and Clonmel to 1·9 in Kilkenny, the 66 deaths from all causes for that district, including one from enteric fever, and 44 from diphtheria. The 1,846 deaths from all causes for Belfast include 4 from enteric fever, 3 from typhus, 6 from measles, 3 from scarlet fever, 118 from whooping-cough, 11 from diphtheria, 34 from diarrhoeal diseases, and 17 from influenza.

The following is a synopsis of the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases\* in the eighteen provincial urban districts already named, and Tables II. and V. give in detail the results of the registration for the quarter:—

**ENTERIC FEVER.**—Of 9 deaths from this disease recorded, 4 belonged to Belfast, and one death to each of the following:—Cork, Londonderry, Dundalk, Kilkenny and Tralee.

**TYPHUS.**—The 3 deaths from typhus appertained to Belfast.

**SMALL-POX.**—No case of this disease was reported.

**MEASLES.**—Only 6 deaths occurred, all belonging to Belfast.

**SCARLET FEVER.**—Of 10 deaths from this cause, 3 each were recorded for Belfast and Wexford, and 2 each for Londonderry and Limerick.

**DIPHTHERIA.**—In all 52 deaths occurred, 22 appertaining to Cork, 11 to Belfast, 6 to Limerick, 4 to Kilkenny, 2 each to Londonderry, Lisburn and Portadown, and one death each to Waterford, Dundalk and Lurgan.

**DIARRHOEAL DISEASES.**—To this group 60 deaths were assigned, 53 being deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. Thirty of the latter were recorded for Belfast, 7 for Cork, 6 for Limerick and 5 for Waterford.

**INFLUENZA.**—Of 29 deaths registered as from influenza, 17 appertained to Belfast, 6 to Limerick, 2 to Waterford, and one death to each of the following:—Galway, Drogheda, Newry and Ballymena.

**PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS.**—The annual death-rate from pulmonary tuberculosis for the 19 towns in the aggregate was 1·85 per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the Dublin Registration Area it was 2·03 per 1,000; for Belfast county borough 1·74 per 1,000, and for the urban districts collectively (not including Dublin Registration Area and Belfast) it was 1·75.

\* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS Registered during the **Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 2nd April, 1921**, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the undermentioned Eighteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other districts), the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION—QUARTER (13 WEEKS) ENDED SATURDAY, 2ND APRIL, 1921.																											
NUMBERS REGISTERED.																											
DEATHS.																											
TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	BIRTHS.		Caused by																			Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	No. of Uncertified Deaths.			
	BIRTHS.	DEATHS.	From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases.†	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 5 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.							
													Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.										
Total.*	Total NUMBER.	From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases.†	Per-sons to an Acre.	25.5	17.7	1.2	1.2	5	1	6	12	130	73	2	62	547	168	280	432	674	95	9	182	173	1,673	200
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS	1,183,268	20.7	25.5	17.4	0.8	0.8	0.8	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
	423,000	30.3	25.3	17.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
	324,000	39.7	27.3	17.8	0.8	0.8	0.8	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
	41,100	24.0	16.9	14.0	0.4	0.4	0.4	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
	30,800	19.6	23.4	18.3	0.9	0.9	0.9	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	38,618	16.1	27.0	19.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
	27,464	19.1	24.2	17.3	1.0	1.0	1.0	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
	13,255	9.5	22.0	18.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
	13,128	9.5	31.7	18.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
	12,553	14.7	24.5	16.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	3	2	1	6	12	118	21	33	215	61	109	154	267	42	2	69	51	730	54	
Urban Districts.	420,000	28.1	26.7	17.6	1.7	1.7	1.7	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	76,673	28.6	24.4	18.8	1.7	1.7	1.7	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	45,000	17.4	28.8	16.4	0.6	0.6	0.6	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	38,618	16.1	27.0	19.3	1.5	1.5	1.5	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	27,464	19.1	24.2	17.3	1.0	1.0	1.0	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	13,255	9.5	22.0	18.4	0.3	0.3	0.3	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	13,128	9.5	31.7	18.9	0.9	0.9	0.9	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	12,553	14.7	24.5	16.3	0.3	0.3	0.3	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	12,501	8.4	19.2	14.7	0.6	0.6	0.6	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	12,388	10.9	26.2	20.0	—	—	—	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	11,963	17.0	28.8	22.4	1.0	1.0	1.0	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	11,727	15.3	24.2	15.3	0.7	0.7	0.7	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
	11,531	22.8	24.3	18.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28	
11,381	9.3	17.6	19.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28		
11,163	3.8	15.8	19.3	0.4	0.4	0.4	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28		
10,914	11.4	14.5	25.1	1.9	1.9	1.9	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28		
10,300	17.4	24.1	13.2	0.4	0.4	0.4	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28		
10,209	7.8	16.5	15.3	—	—	—	4	3	1	6	12	118	11	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	67	476	28		

\* According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Districts comprising the Dublin Registration Area, and for the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the Population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921.

† See note (\*) on page 1304.

(a) Including two deaths from cerebro-spinal fever.

## DEATHS.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Census Population in 1911.	No. of Births.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM														Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
				All Causes.	Certain Epidemic Diseases.	Total Number of Deaths.	Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBERCULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.			
																						Pneumonia.	Other.		Pulmonary.	Other Forms.						
CITY OF BELFAST.																																
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT	15,879	129	24.9	1.5	99	19	13	7	15	26	19	-	-	1	-	3	-	-	-	-	9	-	5	15	13	2	-	8	10	29	1	
Do. 2	49,500	321	17.9	2.3	221	51	16	23	33	41	43	2	-	3	-	19	1	-	1	22	9	12	24	23	4	-	10	7	53	3		
Do. 3	50,032	387	17.3	1.3	216	51	30	25	29	48	47	2	-	1	-	9	1	-	6	26	11	13	18	16	3	-	4	4	55	6		
Do. 4	32,637	241	21.2	2.1	173	58	13	19	14	28	41	-	-	-	-	7	2	-	1	15	4	5	16	16	6	-	2	2	77	-		
Do. 5	16,112	153	27.3	0.5	110	33	12	7	17	22	19	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	17	4	5	16	16	1	-	4	4	48	1		
Do. 6	37,293	230	17.1	1.2	159	29	5	11	30	27	57	1	-	-	-	3	2	-	-	14	2	9	14	7	4	-	2	2	33	-		
Do. 7	2,681	19	25.4	-	17	1	3	3	6	4	4	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1	3	2	2	2	-	-	2	2	2	-	
Do. 8	5,964	39	15.4	1.3	23	2	5	4	4	6	6	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	1	5	18	17	1	-	3	2	11	-		
Do. 9	24,427	159	16.5	0.7	101	22	9	8	13	24	25	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	6	12	2	10	16	17	4	1	2	2	11	2		
Do. 10	28,938	251	17.4	1.1	126	34	12	11	14	29	26	-	-	-	-	1	2	-	14	14	4	10	12	21	2	1	6	6	22	6		
Do. 11	-	193	-	-	154	32	18	19	25	35	35	-	-	-	-	21	2	-	1	12	5	7	5	12	22	2	4	4	32	4		
Do. 12	-	195	-	-	132	39	23	16	14	19	21	-	-	-	-	23	2	-	2	14	2	4	4	5	-	-	3	4	30	-		
Do. 13	-	116	-	-	79	9	2	14	10	13	31	-	-	-	-	4	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	16	1		
Do. 14	175	4	-	-	133	29	12	16	22	30	24	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	11	2	6	17	17	1	-	4	4	-	-	-	
Do. 15	22,669	182	23.5	1.4	103	40	16	11	13	10	13	-	-	-	-	17	-	-	-	8	2	4	20	15	2	-	1	2	34	3		
Do. 16	-	178	-	-	103	40	16	11	13	10	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	23	-		
Total,	386,947	2,802	17.6	1.7	1,846	449	183	195	256	352	411	4	3	6	3	118	11	-	17	183	53	100	196	221	30	4	50	57	476	28		
CITY OF CORK.																																
CORK URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.	13,455	78	19.3	1.2	65	6	-	16	14	16	13	1	-	-	-	-	2	-	-	3	-	2	3	4	1	1	-	15	22	30	-	
Do. 2	10,399	71	22.3	1.2	58	6	4	11	11	10	16	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	9	4	3	1	5	2	-	4	4	20	4		
Do. 3	9,793	56	18.4	2.5	45	5	4	7	7	8	14	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	-	8	1	2	2	2	2	-	-	-	13	20		
Do. 4	9,139	56	19.3	1.3	44	7	5	5	10	8	9	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	7	1	3	1	6	1	1	-	5	3	13	5	
Do. 5	6,250	33	20.5	1.3	32	5	3	2	8	8	9	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	6	-	1	1	1	6	1	2	2	2	13	2	
Do. 6	11,581	77	15.2	1.7	44	3	3	9	9	9	11	-	-	-	-	-	4	-	-	3	1	1	1	4	1	-	1	1	1	15	4	
Do. 7	16,056	97	17.9	2.2	72	8	6	11	12	17	18	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	7	1	3	1	15	2	-	4	2	33	6		
Total	76,673	468	18.8	1.7	360	40	22	61	71	76	90	1	-	-	-	1	22	-	-	43	8	14	10	41	7	1	31	34	146	22		

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast and the County of Londonderry was 113,120.

population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (\*) on page 130*d*.  
16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 18·6 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 3·1.

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 17·1 and 17·3; Dublin Registration Area, 19·0 and 18·1; Dublin City, 20·6 and 18·4; Belfast, 16·1 and 16·8; Cork, 12·2 and 17·7; Londonderry, 19·7 and 14·8; Limerick, 13·5 and 20·3; and Waterford, 11·4 and 13·8.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Among the 130 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 3 from measles, 9 from whooping-cough, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 3 from influenza, and the 18 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 250—124 boys and 126 girls—and the deaths to 166—81 males and 85 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 19·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the fourteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·6 and was 7·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the fourteen weeks was 19·2, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·5.

Included in the 154 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, one from scarlet fever, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 2, 4, and 5; and deaths from influenza 2, 3, and 5. There were no deaths from enteric fever or scarlet fever registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 13 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 9 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 34 deaths (including 23 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis, and 7 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 30, 29, and 29 in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, 4 by meningitis, and 17 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were registered, one of which was caused by swallowing Jeyes' fluid.

Two deaths were attributed to homicide and there was one death by suicide registered during the week.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to tuberculous meningitis, one to abdominal tuberculosis, one to meningitis, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 19 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 38 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 28 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 154 deaths recorded, 71 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public Institutions from without the respective Districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 9th April, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 16 principal towns of Scotland was 15·1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·3, and for Edinburgh 14·3.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 9th April. From this Report it appears that of 99 cases notified, 22 were scarlet fever, 20 pulmonary tuberculosis, 16 other forms of tuberculosis, 16 diphtheria, 9 erysipelas, 8 chicken-pox, 5 acute primary pneumonia, 2 malaria, and one ophthalmia neonatorum. Among the 716 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 257 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 10 other forms of tuberculosis, 179 of scarlet fever, 131 of diphtheria, 52 of measles, 36 of venereal disease, 14 of whooping-cough, 8 of erysipelas, 3 of chicken-pox, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 9th April, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 19	5	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	1	.	4	24
	Mar. 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	—	.	—	1	.	.	6	.	.	17	35
	Apr. 2	1	1	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	15
	Apr. 9	.	1	.	.	.	—	5	—	4	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	13	26
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	3
	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Apr. 2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
Blackrock Urban District	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	2
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
City of Belfast	Mar. 19	1	2	.	.	.	—	9	—	7	2	—	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	20	43
	Mar. 26	1	.	1	.	.	—	11	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	30	53
	Apr. 2	4	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	13	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	14	45
	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	6	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	26	47
City of Cork	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	17	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18a
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10b
	Apr. 9	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
City of Londonderry	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
City of Limerick	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5
	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.
City of Waterford	Mar. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including one case of varicella. (b) Not including 2 cases of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 9th April, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever one and 6 ; typhus one and 4 ; measles one and 5 ; scarlet fever 9 and 46,\* and diphtheria 6 and 39. Two cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 27 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, one was from enteric fever.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimates shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page, of 1921, for the method of obtaining the population of the County of Cork. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. NOTE.—The Birth and Death statistics given for Cork are exclusive of those for the Registrar's Districts of Nos. 1, 4, and 7, not received in time for Press.





registered in the FOURTEENTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 9th April, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 14th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 9th April, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach	3.0	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3.6	4	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2
Cirrhosis of Liver	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Liver	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	.8	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	3
Acute Nephritis	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Chronic Bright's Disease	5.4	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	3	1	6
Urinary Calculi	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	2
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Premature Birth	4.2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Congenital Debility	5.0	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Old Age	6.2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	6
Other Specified Diseases	1.6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Conflagration	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds	1.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Drowning	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ships, Boats, Docks	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 9th APRIL, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.																CAUSED BY																In Institutions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
		FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC CAUSES*		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouses.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
WEEK ENDING	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Jan. 15.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.
No. of weeks in Annual Series ..	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Births registered ..	209	201	198	230	167	214	188	210	193	175	189	250	250	243	173	183	225	201	223	196	204	232	206	214	258	221
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	223	214	217	213	215	211	205	212	215	206	221	206	210	203	212	194	214	201	206	207	215	203	205	217	211	201
Number of Deaths ..	145	135	128	114	153	148	147	153	147	140	136	156	154	146	149	136	114	128	149	154	141	161	147	124	140	130
Annual Death-rate per 1,000 ..	17.9	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.0	18.1	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4	16.1
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	170	178	180	178	180	184	208	216	218	205	205	194	201	158	143	160	169	183	171	175	174	179	185	184	174	169
Under one year	27	28	25	23	21	31	27	28	20	20	23	19	19	30	41	38	20	41	44	43	39	37	29	25	29	29
1—5 years	2	5	7	8	8	7	6	10	8	8	12	13	8	8	13	9	16	10	16	23	11	16	16	20	13	12
5—25 "	8	6	13	6	15	12	15	14	14	15	16	27	18	14	15	14	11	14	17	14	13	25	17	14	15	9
25—45 "	24	26	17	18	29	26	21	19	17	24	20	20	30	17	17	17	16	22	11	19	25	25	19	23	17	19
45—65 "	39	31	32	27	36	34	37	30	39	40	31	34	41	39	28	36	16	20	26	24	23	32	26	24	29	32
65 and upwards	45	39	34	32	44	38	41	52	49	33	34	43	38	38	35	22	35	21	35	31	30	26	40	18	37	29
Deaths from :—																										
Enteric Fever ..	..	2	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	1	1	..	..	..	1	..	2	..	..	..	1
Typhus ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria ..	..	2	2	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dysentery ..	..	2	1	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Influenza ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
{ Pulmonary ..	3	..	1	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
{ Other Forms ..	10	13	11	6	18	18	16	24	18	23	23	22	23	12	16	18	11	13	5	13	17	17	17	18	10	15
Tuberculosis ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cancer ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diseases of Respi- ..	5	6	13	5	16	9	6	4	3	7	7	7	11	3	2	2	2	7	4	6	3	7	7	7	4	6
ratory System ..	18	14	12	13	5	10	13	12	18	8	9	10	13	14	16	15	11	14	23	26	16	23	14	7	9	10
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years ..	26	15	11	18	23	26	20	29	25	20	25	14	18	25	16	17	14	19	15	14	21	11	21	15	9	9
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards ..	4	2	4	2	4	2	3	4	3	2	4	5	4	..	3	3	1	..	2	1	4	3	3	1	1	1
Violent Deaths, ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Uncertified Deaths ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
A Mean Maximum Temperature in dogs.	48.0	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	52.4	52.4	54.1	47.8	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8	54.4
B Mean Minimum ..	35.5	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.2	38.1	37.6	37.8	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2	41.0
Mean of A and B ..	41.7	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	46.9	45.2	45.8	42.8	44.8	46.5	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	43.5	47.7
Rainfall in inches ..	1.17	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	0.02	1.88	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45	0.05



DEATHS.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 14.5 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 2.1.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 9th April, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Total, ..	.	1	.	.	.	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	13	26

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 9th April, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 9th April.			
	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	8	8	9	1	3	1	6
Typhus, ..	2	2	3	1	.	.	4
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	14	7	6	1	2	.	5
Scarlet Fever,..	61	51	44	9	7	.	46*
Diphtheria, ..	38	39	38	6	5	.	39
Pneumonia, ..	39	35	37	2	12	.	27

\* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 15·9 and 17·1 ; Dublin Registration Area, 16·0 and 17·7 ; Dublin City, 17·4 and 18·4 ; Belfast, 16·1 and 16·3 ; Cork, 17·7 and 20·1 ; Londonderry, 19·7 and 17·7 ; Limerick, 19·0 and 18·6 ; and Waterford, 7·6 and 12·8.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 130 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, 7 from whooping-cough, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, one from influenza, and one from cerebro-spinal fever. The 26 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from enteric fever and one from diphtheria. Included in the 5 deaths from all causes for Newry is one from whooping-cough. Of the 4 deaths from all causes for Ballymena there is one from each of scarlet fever and whooping-cough, and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Tralee is from enteric fever.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 253—126 boys and 127 girls—and the deaths to 138—71 males and 67 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·5 and was 7·4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifteen weeks was 19·0, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·5.

Included in the 130 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from enteric fever were 0, 0, and one ; deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0, and 0 ; deaths from diphtheria, one, 0, and 0 ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 5, and 4 ; and deaths from influenza 3, 5, and 3.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 21 deaths (including 16 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from abdominal tuberculosis) as against 29, 29, and 34 in the three weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 14 by bronchitis. Three accidental deaths were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, one to abdominal tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 22 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 39 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 33 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 130 deaths recorded, 50 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 16th April, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 14·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·5, and for Edinburgh 14·4.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 16th April. From this Report it appears that of 96 cases notified, 29 were scarlet fever, 14 diphtheria, 13 pulmonary tuberculosis, 15 other forms of tuberculosis, 8 erysipelas, 11 chicken-pox, 4 acute primary pneumonia, and 2 malaria. Among the 700 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 257 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 13 other forms of tuberculosis, 164 of scarlet fever, 116 of diphtheria, 57 of measles, 42 of venereal disease, 15 of whooping-cough, 8 of erysipelas, 7 of chicken-pox, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 2 of cerebro-spinal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 16th April, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Mar. 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	—	.	—	1	.	.	6	.	.	17	35
	Apr. 2	1	1	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	4	15
	Apr. 9	.	1	.	.	.	—	5	—	4	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	13	26
	Apr. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	13
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	4
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City of Belfast	Mar. 26	1	.	1	.	.	—	11	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	30	53
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City of Cork	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7
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City of Londonderry	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4
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City of Limerick	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
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	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
City of Waterford	Mar. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
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	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.

(a) Not including 2 case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 16th April, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever one and 7 ; typhus nil and 4 ; measles one and 5 ; scarlet fever 10 and 52,\* and diphtheria 5 and 39. Four cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 28 remained under treatment at its close.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 16th April, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

POPULATION.			REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 16TH APRIL, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.					DEATHS.					Caused by										Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
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			From all Causes.					From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)					TOTAL NUMBER		TOTAL NUMBER.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		Enteric Fever.		Typhus.		Small-pox.		Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Whooping-cough.		Diphtheria.		Dysentery.		Influenza.		Pulmonary.		Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.		Pneumonia.		Other.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 5 years of age.		Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.		Violence.		Inquest Cases.		No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					

(c) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimates shown for London relate to the civil population in 1920. (d) See note (f) at foot of first page. (e) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (f) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (g) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (h) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (i) Including one death from cerebro-spinal fever.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 15th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 16th April, 1921.															Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	219·8	138	6	16	6	2	7	4	5	2	8	13	11	18	19	21	130
Enteric Fever ..	1·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	8·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	6·8	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diphtheria ..	·2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Croup ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	8·0	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Dysentery ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Erysipelas ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	23·6	17	.	.	.	2	1	3	1	3	2	2	1	1	1		16
Tuberculous Meningitis	2·8	3	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Abdominal Tuberculosis	2·0	2	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	2·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Venereal Diseases ..	·6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cancer ..	12·4	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	5	.	.	7
Tumour, situation undefined.	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	·8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Other General Diseases	2·0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	2
Alcoholism ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Simple Meningitis ..	2·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Apoplexy.	5·2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	.	5
Softening of Brain ..	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	1·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Epilepsy ..	1·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	6·0	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	2·6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	3
Pericarditis ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Endocarditis ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	16·8	8	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	3	.	.	8
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of the Larynx ..	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bronchitis ..	31·0	14	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	5	3	14
Broncho-pneumonia ..	15·0	6	.	3	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
Lobar pneumonia ..	3·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	7·6	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	5
Pleurisy ..	1·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion.	·8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.
Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	2·2	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	3



registered in the FIFTEENTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 16th April, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 15th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 16th April, 1921.													Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)			
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.															
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.		65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.												
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ..	1.2	3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	2.0	4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	1.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	2.2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	3
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	.4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis ..	.6	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	2
Chronic Bright's Disease	4.4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	.	6
Urinary Calculi ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Puerperal .. Septicæmia, &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	1.2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Premature Birth ..	4.4	5	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
Congenital Debility ..	6.0	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Old Age ..	8.8	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	5
Other Specified Diseases	1.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
VIOLENCE.																		
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Drowning ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ..	.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths ..	1.0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2
Not included in above—																		
Homicide ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suicide ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	3.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 16TH APRIL, 1921.

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.





TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (*exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas*).

WEEK ENDING	Dublin Registration Area.													Belfast City.												
	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Jan. 22.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.
No. of weeks in Annual Series ..	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Births registered ..	201	198	230	167	214	188	210	193	175	189	250	250	253	173	183	225	201	223	196	204	232	206	214	258	221	214
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	214	217	213	215	211	205	212	215	206	221	206	210	216	212	194	214	201	206	207	215	203	205	217	211	201	209
Number of Deaths ..	135	128	114	153	148	147	153	147	140	136	156	154	130	149	136	114	128	149	154	141	161	147	124	140	130	
Annual Death-rate per 1,000 ..	16.6	15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.5	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4	16.1	
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	178	180	178	180	184	208	216	218	205	205	194	201	197	143	160	169	183	171	175	174	179	185	184	174	169	
Ages ..	28	25	23	21	31	27	28	20	20	23	19	19	22	41	38	20	41	44	43	39	37	29	25	29	21	
Under one year ..	5	7	8	8	7	6	10	8	8	12	13	8	8	13	9	16	10	16	23	11	16	16	20	13	12	
1-5 years ..	6	13	6	15	12	15	14	14	15	16	27	18	15	14	11	11	14	17	14	13	25	17	14	15	9	
5-25 ..	26	17	18	29	26	21	19	17	24	20	20	30	19	17	17	16	22	11	19	25	25	19	23	17	25	
25-45 ..	31	32	27	36	34	37	30	39	40	31	34	41	27	28	36	16	20	26	24	23	32	26	24	29	22	
45-65 ..	39	34	32	44	38	41	52	49	33	34	43	38	39	35	22	35	21	35	31	30	26	40	18	37	29	
65 and upwards ..	2	1	3	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	5	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	2	10	11	16	7	1	7	
Deaths from:—	2	1	3	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	5	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	10	11	16	7	1	7	
Enteric Fever ..	13	11	6	18	18	16	24	18	23	23	22	23	16	16	18	11	13	5	13	17	17	17	18	10	15	
Typhus ..	2	3	3	9	6	4	4	3	7	6	7	11	5	5	8	2	7	4	5	3	7	7	4	6	2	
Small-pox ..	6	13	5	16	6	10	8	4	7	7	17	9	7	8	13	7	4	6	11	6	3	4	7	9	10	
Measles ..	14	12	13	5	10	13	12	18	9	9	10	13	11	16	15	11	14	23	26	16	23	14	7	6	14	
Scarlet Fever ..	15	11	18	23	26	20	29	25	20	25	14	18	19	16	17	14	19	15	14	21	11	21	15	9	12	
Whooping-cough ..	2	4	2	4	2	3	4	3	2	4	5	4	4	3	3	1	1	2	1	4	3	3	1	1	3	
Diphtheria ..	2	1	3	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	5	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	3	1	3	10	2	
Dysentery ..	2	1	3	4	1	1	1	2	1	1	5	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	3	1	3	10	2	
Influenza ..	13	11	6	18	18	16	24	18	23	23	22	23	16	16	18	11	13	5	13	17	17	17	18	10	15	
Tuberculosis ..	2	3	3	9	6	4	4	3	7	6	7	11	5	5	8	2	7	4	5	3	7	7	4	6	2	
Cancer ..	6	13	5	16	6	10	8	4	7	7	17	9	7	8	13	7	4	6	11	6	3	4	7	9	10	
Diseases of Respi- ..	14	12	13	5	10	13	12	18	9	9	10	13	11	16	15	11	14	23	26	16	23	14	7	6	14	
ratory System ..	15	11	18	23	26	20	29	25	20	25	14	18	19	16	17	14	19	15	14	21	11	21	15	9	12	
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years ..	2	4	2	4	2	3	4	3	2	4	5	4	4	3	3	1	1	2	1	4	3	3	1	1	3	
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards ..	2	3	1	4	4	8	4	3	6	4	13	6	3	4	4	1	3	1	1	1	5	1	3	10	2	
Violent Deaths, ..	2	3	5	5	8	5	6	3	4	1	3	2	3	1	1	1	1	5	1	3	1	3	10	2	1	
Number of Uncertified Deaths ..	3	2	5	5	8	5	6	3	4	1	3	2	3	1	1	1	1	5	1	3	1	5	10	3	1	
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs. ..	52.1	54.2	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	52.4	52.4	54.1	51.1	50.7	51	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8	54.4	51.8
B Mean Minimum ..	41.5	46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.2	38.1	37.6	33.9	39.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2	41.0	40.5
Mean of A and B ..	46.8	50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	46.9	45.2	45.8	42.5	44.8	46.5	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	43.5	47.7	46.2
Rainfall in inches ..	0.44	0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	0.02	0.43	1.68	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45	0.05	0.39



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 16th April, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 18·1 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 2·1.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 16th April, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
„ „ 1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
„ „ 2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
„ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3
„ „ „ 2, ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
„ „ „ 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3
„ „ „ 4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	1	.	.	.	.	5	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	13

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 16th April, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 16th April.			
	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	8	9	6	1	.	.	7
Typhus, .. ..	2	3	4	.	.	.	4
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	7	6	5	1	1	.	5
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	51	44	46	10	4	.	52*
Diphtheria, .. ..	39	38	39	5	5	..	39
Pneumonia, .. ..	35	37	27	4	3	.	28

\* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 17·8 and 17·3; Dublin Registration Area, 18·4 and 18·1; Dublin City, 18·3 and 18·8; Belfast, 17·9 and 16·9; Cork, 11·6 and 16·7; Londonderry, 27·8 and 23·2; Limerick, 29·8 and 22·0; and Waterford, 5·7 and 10·5.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·4 per 1,000. Among the 144 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 2 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 8 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from influenza. The 17 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from diphtheria. Of the 24 deaths from all causes for Londonderry 2 are from influenza. Two of the 22 deaths from all causes for Limerick are from diphtheria, and one of the 7 deaths from all causes for Wexford is from scarlet fever.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 225—121 boys and 104 girls—and the deaths to 164—92 males and 72 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the sixteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·5 and was 7·4 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the sixteen weeks was 19·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·5.

Included in the 149 deaths appertaining to the Area are 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 5, 4, and 4, and deaths from influenza 5, 3, and one.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 29, 34, and 21 in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 14 by bronchitis.

Four accidental deaths were registered, and there were 5 cases of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to pulmonary tuberculosis, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 6 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 5 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Thirty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 40 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 149 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 23rd April, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 14·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·5, and for Edinburgh 16·1.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 23rd April. From this Report it appears that of 85 cases notified, 23 were scarlet fever, 15 pulmonary tuberculosis, 14 other forms of tuberculosis, 14 diphtheria, 9 chicken-pox, 6 erysipelas, 2 acute primary pneumonia, one acute influenzal pneumonia, and one puerperal fever. Among the 688 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 258 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 other forms of tuberculosis, 152 of scarlet fever, 108 of diphtheria, 59 of measles, 44 of venereal disease, 13 of whooping-cough, 8 of erysipelas, 6 of chicken-pox, 3 of acute influenzal pneumonia, one of puerperal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 23rd April, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 2	1	1	•	•	—	—	2	—	3	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	4	•	•	4	15
	Apr. 9	•	1	•	•	—	—	5	—	4	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	3	•	•	13	26
	Apr. 16	1	•	•	•	—	—	5	—	3	•	—	1	—	•	•	•	3	•	•	•	13
	Apr. 23	1	1	•	•	—	—	8	—	8	2	—	1	—	•	•	•	13	•	•	21	55
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 2	•	•	•	•	—	—	1	—	1	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	1	•	•	—	3
	Apr. 9	•	•	•	•	—	—	1	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	1
	Apr. 16	•	•	•	•	—	—	2	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	2
	Apr. 23	•	•	•	•	—	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 2	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	•	•	•	—	•	•	•	1	•	•	•	3
	Apr. 9	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	•	•	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	2
	Apr. 16	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	•	1	•	•	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	12
	Apr. 23	•	•	•	•	•	•	7	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	7
Blackrock Urban District	Apr. 2	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Apr. 9	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
	Apr. 16	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	1	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	1
	Apr. 23	•	•	•	•	•	•	2	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	2
Kingstown Urban District	Apr. 2	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
	Apr. 9	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
	Apr. 16	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
	Apr. 23	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	1	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	1
City of Belfast	Apr. 2	4	•	•	•	•	—	12	—	13	•	—	1	—	•	•	•	1	•	•	14	45
	Apr. 9	•	•	•	•	•	—	14	—	6	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	26	47
	Apr. 16	2	•	•	•	•	—	13	—	4	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	1	•	16	35
	Apr. 23	2	•	•	•	3	—	12	—	7	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	22	46
City of Cork	Apr. 2	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	10	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	10 <sup>a</sup>
	Apr. 9	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	9	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	10
	Apr. 16	•	•	•	•	•	•	1	—	18	1	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	20
	Apr. 23	1	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	12	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	13
City of Londonderry	Apr. 2	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	1	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	1
	Apr. 9	•	•	•	•	•	—	2	—	1	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	3
	Apr. 16	•	•	•	•	•	—	3	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	3
	Apr. 23	•	•	•	•	•	—	1	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	1
City of Limerick	Apr. 2	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	5	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	5
	Apr. 9	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•
	Apr. 16	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	•
	Apr. 23	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	5	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	•	•	—	5
City of Waterford	Apr. 2	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
	Apr. 9	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
	Apr. 16	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•
	Apr. 23	•	•	•	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	—	•	—	•	•	•	•	—	•	•	•

(a) Not including 2 cases of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 23rd April, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever one and 7; typhus one and 5; measles 6 and 7; scarlet fever 27 and 62,\* and diphtheria 7 and 43. Thirteen cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 31 remained under treatment at its close; of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from measles.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 23rd April, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page, of 1921. It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause  
each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 16th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 23rd April, 1921.															Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.															
			Under 1 month.	0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
				1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.												
ALL CAUSES.	206.0	164	13	13	8	3	.	3	7	10	14	14	13	23	26	17	149	
Enteric Fever..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Measles ..	5.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Scarlet Fever ..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Whooping-cough ..	5.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diphtheria ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Croup ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Influenza ..	7.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	
Dysentery ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Erysipelas ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TUBERCULOSIS.																		
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	20.8	16	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	3	5	3	1	.	.	.	15	
Tuberculous Meningitis	4.0	4	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	
Abdominal Tuberculosis	2.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	1.0	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1.4	2	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Venereal Diseases ..	.4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cancer ..	13.0	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	5	1	.	.	5	
Tumour, situation undefined.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Rheumatic Fever ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	
Diabetes ..	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	1.0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	2	
Other General Diseases	2.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	
Alcoholism ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Simple Meningitis	1.8	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Cerebral Hamorrhage, Apoplexy.	5.8	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	1	.	.	5	
Softening of Brain	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Paralysis, without specified cause.	2.8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	
Epilepsy ..	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	4.2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	4.0	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Pericarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Acute Endocarditis	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	15.2	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	.	2	5	1	2	
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1.0	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	4	
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Bronchitis ..	25.4	15	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	3	5	14	
Broncho-pneumonia ..	14.2	6	.	1	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	
Lobar pneumonia	1.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	9.0	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	3	
Pleurisy ..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	
Other Diseases of Respiratory System	2.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	



registered in the SIXTEENTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 23rd April, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 16th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 23rd April, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach	2.2	4	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	2.8	6	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	1.8	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Cirrhosis of Liver	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	.4	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Chronic Bright's Disease	4.0	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	4
Urinary Calculi	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	1.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Premature Birth	4.8	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
Congenital Debility	4.2	5	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5
Old Age	7.2	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	5	10
Other Specified Diseases	1.8	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Drowning	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Ships, Boats, Docks	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths	1.8	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	3
Not included in above—																	
Homicide	.4	10	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	2	1	.	1	1	.	5
Suicide	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes	2.6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	4

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 23RD APRIL, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																												In Institutions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.	
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	(34)				
																							Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.												
North City.																																							
	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.	31,300	30.0	3.3	18	3	1	2					4											3	1	1	1	1											
	" " 1, W.	42,900	18.2		15	3	1				2	6	3											3	1	1	2												
	" " 2	28,700	20.0	1.5	11	1					4	4	3											1	1	1	2												
	" " 3	35,600	11.7		8	1					1	1	4											1	1	1	2												
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	18.3		2	1																																	
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200		4.5	5	1						1	2																										
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	22.5																																				
South City.																																							
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	44,900	10.5		9	1	1		4		1	4	2											1	2		1												
	" " 2	18,900	19.3		7	1					1	4	3																										
	" " 3	45,200	17.3		15	4	1		1	1	3	2	3																										
	" " 4	34,200	33.5		22	3			1	4	6	4	4											5	1														
	NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	9.7		2						1	1																											
Urban Districts.																																							
	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	16.5		13	1					2	5	5											1			1												
	PEMBROKE	30,800	20.3	3.4	12	4					1	2	1																										
	BLACKBROOK	9,800	21.3		4						2	1	1																										
	KINGSTOWN	17,300	18.1		6	2							4																										
	TOTAL CITY.	170,000	18.1	1.2	59	10	5	2	3	9	14	16												8	3	3	4	4	6	4		1	30	2	16	4			
		South	154,000	18.6		55	8	2	1	2	10	12	9											1	6			3											
		North and South	324,000	18.3	0.6	114	18	7	3	2	13	26	25												14	7	3	7	11	4									
	Total Urban Districts	99,000	18.4	1.1	35	7					5	8	15																										
	Total Registration Area	423,000	18.4	0.7	149	25	7	3	2	13	34	40												15	7	5	9	17	6										
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					15	1	1		4	3	2	3												1	1	3	1	1											

\* See note (f) at foot of first page.





TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.														Belfast City.																														
Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Jan. 29.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.																			
No. of weeks in Annual Series														4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16					
Births registered														198	230	167	214	188	210	193	175	189	250	250	253	225	183	225	201	223	196	204	232	206	214	221	214	229	210	209	215	16		
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years														217	213	215	211	205	212	215	206	221	206	210	216	214	194	212	201	206	207	215	203	205	217	211	201	209	215	209	215	16		
Number of Deaths														128	114	153	148	147	153	147	140	136	156	154	130	149	136	114	128	149	154	141	161	147	124	140	130	130	144	144	144	144		
Annual Death-rate per 1,000														15.8	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.4	16.9	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.1	16.1	
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years														160	178	180	184	208	216	218	205	205	194	201	197	192	160	169	183	171	175	174	179	185	184	174	169	168	168	168	168	168	168	
Ages														25	23	21	31	27	28	20	20	23	19	19	22	25	38	26	41	44	43	39	37	29	25	29	29	29	29	29	29	29		
Under one year														7	8	8	7	6	10	8	8	12	13	8	8	10	9	16	10	16	23	11	16	16	20	13	12	13	13	13	13	13		
1-5 years														13	6	15	12	15	14	14	15	16	27	18	15	15	14	11	14	17	14	13	25	17	14	15	9	25	16	16	16	16		
5-25 "														17	18	29	26	21	19	17	24	20	30	30	19	25	17	16	22	11	19	25	25	19	23	17	19	22	22	22	22	22		
25-45 "														32	27	36	34	37	30	39	40	31	34	41	27	34	36	16	20	26	24	32	32	26	24	29	32	24	32	24	32	24	32	
45-65 "														34	32	44	38	41	52	49	33	34	43	38	39	40	22	35	21	35	31	30	26	40	18	37	29	25	28	28	28	28		
65 and upwards																																												
Deaths from:—																																												
Enteric Fever																		1						1																				
Typhus																																												
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Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards																																												
Violent Deaths, "																																												
Number of Uncertified Deaths																																												
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.														54.2	16.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	52.4	52.4	54.1	51.1	52.0	51	47.1	44.7	59.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8	54.4	51.8	50.5	50.5	50.5			
B Mean Minimum														46.4	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.2	38.1	37.6	33.9	34.0	42	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2	41.0	40.5	33.8	33.8	33.8			
Mean of A and B														50.3	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	46.9	45.2	45.8	42.5	43.0	46.5	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	43.5	47.7	46.2	42.2	42.2	42.2			
Rainfall in inches														0.32	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.74	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45	0.05	0.39	0.39	0.39	0.39	0.39		



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 23rd April, 1921, Dealing in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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Figures for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (1) at foot of next page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,020, the population of each of these districts not being available and from certain epidemic diseases 5·2.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 23rd April, 1921

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	7
"  "  1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	8
"  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	4
"  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	4	6
"  "  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	7
"  "  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	4	10
"  "  "  4, ..	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	2	10
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	1	1	.	.	.	8	8	.	2	1	.	.	.	13	.	.	21	55

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 23rd April, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 23rd April.			
	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	9	6	7	1	1	.	7
Typhus, ..	3	4	4	1	.	.	5
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	6	5	5	6	3	1	7
Scarlet Fever, ..	44	46	52	27	17	.	62*
Diphtheria, ..	38	39	39	7	3	.	43
Pneumonia, ..	37	27	28	13	10	.	31

\* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 17·7 and 17·2 ; Dublin Registration Area, 17·4 and 17·7 ; Dublin City, 17·1 and 18·3 ; Belfast, 16·5 and 16·7 ; Cork, 20·4 and 17·3 ; Londonderry, 15·1 and 20·6 ; Limerick, 16·2 and 19·6, and Waterford, 11·4 and 9·0.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·2 per 1,000. Among the 133 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 10 from whooping-cough and 3 from diarrhoea. The 30 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from diphtheria. Of the 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick there is one from each of diphtheria and influenza. Two of the 14 deaths from all causes for Galway are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years ; and 2 of the 4 deaths from all causes for Wexford are from scarlet fever.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 249—121 boys and 128 girls—and the deaths to 155—80 males and 75 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 17·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the seventeen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·5 and was 7·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the seventeen weeks was 19·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·3.

Included in the 141 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from scarlet fever, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, one from dysentery, and 4 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from scarlet fever were one, 0, and 0, deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 4, and 6, and deaths from influenza 3, one, and one. There were no deaths from measles or dysentery in the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 12 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 7 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 17 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from abdominal tuberculosis, as against 34, 21, and 22 in the three weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 17 by bronchitis. Eight accidental deaths were registered, and there were 3 deaths by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to pulmonary tuberculosis, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to abdominal tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, 2 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 20 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 47 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 36 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 141 deaths recorded, 60 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.;*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 30th April, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 12·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 30th April. From this Report it appears that of 106 cases notified, 29 were scarlet fever, 25 pulmonary tuberculosis, 12 other forms of tuberculosis, 18 diphtheria, 10 chicken-pox, 4 erysipelas, 4 acute primary pneumonia, one acute influenzal pneumonia, one membranous croup, one ophthalmia neonatorum, and one malaria. Among the 683 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 263 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 14 other forms of tuberculosis, 156 of scarlet fever, 106 of diphtheria, 63 of measles, 39 of venereal disease, 14 of whooping-cough, 7 of erysipelas, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, one of chicken-pox, one of puerperal fever, one of enteric fever, and one of membranous croup.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 30th April, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Rubella or Epidemic Rose Rash.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 9	.	1	.	.	.	—	5	—	4	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	13	26
	Apr. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	13	13
	Apr. 23	1	1	.	.	.	—	8	—	2	1	—	1	—	.	.	.	13	.	.	21	55
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	6	1	—	.	—	3	.	.	5	.	.	17	44
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1
	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2
	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	8
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	4
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Kingstown Urban District	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.
	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1
	Apr. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	4
City of Belfast	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	6	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	26	47
	Apr. 16	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	4	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	35
	Apr. 23	2	.	.	.	3	—	12	—	7	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	22	46
	Apr. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	19	—	5	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	34	61
City of Cork	Apr. 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	9	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10
	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	18	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	20
	Apr. 23	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	12	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	13
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	1	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7
City of Londonderry	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3
	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3
	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3
City of Limerick	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2
City of Waterford	Apr. 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 30th April, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 5; typhus nil and 3; measles 2 and 6; scarlet fever 23 and 66,\* and diphtheria 11 and 45. Eight cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 30 remained under treatment at its close; of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of scarlet fever, diphtheria and pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.





TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 17th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 30th April, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	153·2	155	10	11	5	4	3	2	2	4	18	15	14	17	26	24	141
Enteric Fever ..	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Typhus ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Small-pox ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Measles ..	4·2	1	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1
Scarlet Fever ..	·4	1	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1
Whooping-cough ..	4·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Diphtheria ..	1·0	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Croup ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Influenza ..	3·6	4	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	3	4
Dysentery ..	·2	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1
Erysipelas ..	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Other Epidemic Diseases	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Tetanus ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	19·0	13	·	1	·	·	·	1	1	2	4	2	1	1	·	·	13
Tuberculous Meningitis	2·0	2	·	1	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1·2	2	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	2
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	·4	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Scrofula ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Venereal Diseases ..	·4	1	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1
Cancer ..	8·4	12	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	1	3	4	2	9
Tumour, situation undefined.	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Rheumatic Fever ..	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Diabetes ..	·6	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	1
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	1·2	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	·	2
Other General Diseases	1·8	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	1
Alcoholism ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Chronic Poisonings ..	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	1
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Simple Meningitis ..	1·8	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy.	5·6	11	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2	·	5	4	11
Softening of Brain ..	·6	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Paralysis, without specified cause.	3·2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Epilepsy ..	·4	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	2·4	3	3	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	2
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	1·8	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	1
Pericarditis ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Acute Endocarditis ..	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	10·2	8	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	1	·	3	2	8
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	·8	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1·0	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1	·	2
Diseases of the Larynx ..	·2	1	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1
Bronchitis ..	15·0	19	·	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	17
Broncho-pneumonia ..	8·2	7	·	1	2	1	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	2	7	7	7
Lobar pneumonia ..	2·4	1	·	·	1	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	1	·	·	1
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	5·2	4	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	1	·	1	1	·	·	4
Pleurisy ..	·6	1	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Pulmonary Congestion.	·6	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	1
Pulmonary Apoplexy.	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	·8	2	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	·	1	·	·	·	1	1



registered in the SEVENTEENTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 30th April, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 17th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 30th April, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ..	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3.2	4	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Peritonitis, (cause unknown).	.2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	3
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	1.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Acute Nephritis ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Chronic Bright's Disease	4.4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	4
Urinary Calculi ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Congenital Malformations.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Premature Birth ..	4.0	4	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Congenital Debility ..	5.6	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Old Age ..	6.6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	4
Other Specified Diseases	2.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Drowning ..	.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ..	.6	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	4
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ...	.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Other Violent Deaths ..	.6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	1
Not included in above—																	
Homicide ..	.2	5	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	3
Suicide ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	1.6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	4

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 30th APRIL, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain ages-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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\* See note (†) at foot of first page.





TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
WEEK ENDING	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	Feb. 5.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.
No. of weeks in Annual Series ..	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17
Births registered ..	230	167	214	188	210	193	175	189	250	250	253	225	249	225	201	223	196	204	232	206	214	258	221	214	229	256
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	213	215	211	205	212	215	206	221	206	210	216	214	200	214	201	206	207	215	203	205	217	211	201	209	219	221
Number of Deaths ..	114	153	148	147	153	147	140	136	156	154	130	149	141	114	128	149	154	141	161	147	124	140	130	144	133	
Annual Death-rate per 1,000 ..	14.1	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.4	17.4	14.2	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4	16.1	17.9	16.5	
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..	178	180	184	208	216	218	205	205	194	201	197	192	162	169	183	171	175	174	179	185	184	174	169	164	151	
Ages ..	23	21	31	27	28	20	20	23	19	19	22	25	20	20	41	44	43	39	37	29	25	29	21	27	28	
Under one year	8	8	7	6	10	8	12	16	13	8	15	16	9	16	10	16	23	11	16	16	20	13	13	13	9	
1-5 years	6	15	12	15	14	14	15	16	27	18	15	15	9	11	14	17	14	13	25	17	14	15	9	25	16	
5-25 "	18	29	26	21	19	17	24	20	20	30	19	25	27	16	22	11	19	25	25	19	23	17	19	22	12	
25-45 "	27	36	34	37	30	39	40	31	34	41	27	34	29	16	20	26	24	23	32	26	24	29	32	24	34	
45-65 "	32	44	38	41	52	49	33	34	43	38	39	40	47	35	21	35	31	30	26	40	18	37	29	25	38	
65 and upwards																										
Deaths from :—										1	1						1		2				1			
Enteric Fever ..																										
Typhus ..																										
Small-pox ..																										
Measles ..																										
Scarlet Fever ..	1									1																
Whooping-cough ..																										
Diphtheria ..																										
Dysentery ..	3	4	1	1	3	2	1	1																		
Influenza ..																										
{Pulmonary ..																										
{Other Forms ..	6	18	18	16	24	18	23	23	22	23	16	15	13	11	13	5	13	17	17	17	18	10	15	30	11	
Tuberculosis ..	3	9	6	4	4	3	7	6	7	11	5	7	4	2	7	4	5	3	7	7	1	4	6	2	6	
Cancer ..	5	16	6	10	8	4	7	9	17	9	7	5	9	7	4	6	11	6	3	4	7	9	10	5	12	
Diseases of Respi- ..	13	5	10	13	12	18	8	9	13	11	11	12	11	11	14	23	26	16	23	14	7	9	10	5	12	
ratory System ..	18	23	26	20	29	25	20	25	14	18	19	17	20	14	19	15	14	21	11	21	15	15	9	12	13	
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years ..	2	4	2	3	4	3	2	4	5	4	4	6	4	1		2	1	4	4	3	3	1	3	6	3	
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards ..																										
Violent Deaths, ..	1	4	4	8	4	3	6	4	13	6	3	9	11	1	3	3	1	1	3	5	1	10	2	1	2	
Number of Uncertified Deaths ..	5	5	8	5	6	3	4	1	3	2	3	3	3		1	5		2	1	5	3	1	1	1	1	
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs. ..	46.7	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	52.4	52.4	54.1	51.1	52.0	58.1	47.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8	54.4	51.8	50.5	57.9
B Mean Minimum ..	38.4	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.2	38.1	37.6	33.9	34.0	36.0	40.4	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2	41.0	40.5	33.8	41.4
Mean of A and B ..	42.5	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	46.9	45.2	45.8	42.5	43.1	47.1	43.8	39.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	46.2	46.2	42.2	49.6	49.6
Rainfall in inches ..	0.27	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.00	0.62	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.33	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45	0.05	0.39	0.57	0.01



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 30th April, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

## DEATHS.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from					AGES AT DEATH.											DEATHS FROM											Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
			All Causes.		Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.				1 year and under 5 years.					5 and under 25 years.					25 and under 45 years.					45 and under 65 years.								65 years and upwards.					Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 12 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
			All Causes.	Total Number of DEATHS.		1 year and under 5 years.				5 and under 25 years.					25 and under 45 years.					45 and under 65 years.					65 years and upwards.								Pneumonia.	Other.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
						(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)						(25)	(26)	(27)										(28)	(29)		(30)	(31)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																										
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BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT,	15,879	14	23.0	6.6	7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1</

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 18.7 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 2.6.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 30th April, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
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Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
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„ „ „ 4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	6
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	.	.	.	.	.	12	6	.	1	.	3	.	.	5	.	.	17	44

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 30th April, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 30th April.			
	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	6	7	7	.	2	.	5
Typhus, .. ..	4	4	5	.	2	.	3
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	5	5	7	2	3	.	6
Scarlet Fever,.. ..	46	52	62	23	18	1	66*
Diphtheria, .. ..	39	39	43	11	8	1	45
Pneumonia, .. ..	27	28	31	8	8	1	30

\* Exclusive of 21 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 17·1 and 17·1; Dublin Registration Area, 18·7 and 17·6; Dublin City, 18·2 and 17·7; Belfast, 15·5 and 16·5; Cork, 17·7 and 16·9; Londonderry, 16·2 and 19·7; Limerick, 21·7 and 21·7, and Waterford, 13·3 and 9·5.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 125 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from scarlet fever 9 from whooping-cough and 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and of the 16 deaths from all causes for Limerick there are 2 from diphtheria, 1 from influenza, and 1 from diarrhoea.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 178—104 boys and 69 girls—and the deaths to 163—79 males and 84 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the eighteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·6 and was 6·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the eighteen weeks was 19·2, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·2.

☐ Included in the 151 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0, and 0, deaths from diphtheria were one, 0 and 0, deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 6, and 4, and deaths from influenza one, one, and 4.

There were 16 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 10 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 23 deaths (comprising 18 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 21, 22, and 17 in the [three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 16 by bronchitis.

Of 8 deaths by violence, 2 (children under 5 years) were caused by scalds, one by a motor, one resulted from gunshot wounds, and there were 2 deaths by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to abdominal tuberculosis, one to disseminated tuberculosis, one to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, one to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 49 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 40 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 152 deaths recorded, 70 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV;*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 7th May, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 14·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·3, and for Edinburgh 14·6.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 7th May. From this Report it appears that of 117 cases notified, 29 were scarlet fever, 26 pulmonary tuberculosis, 7 other forms of tuberculosis, 22 chicken-pox, 16 diphtheria, 8 acute primary pneumonia, 5 erysipelas, 2 puerperal fever, one ophthalmia neonatorum, and one malaria. Among the 687 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 263 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 14 other forms of tuberculosis, 156 of scarlet fever, 99 of diphtheria, 72 of measles, 39 of venereal disease, 13 of whooping-cough, 6 of erysipelas, 2 of chicken-pox, 2 of puerperal fever, one of acute influenzal pneumonia, and one of enteric fever.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 7th May, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	.	13
	Apr. 23	1	1	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	2	1	—	.	.	.	13	.	.	—	21	55
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	6	1	.	—	3	.	.	5	.	.	—	17	44
	May. 7	.	1	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	1	.	—	1	.	.	10	.	.	—	6	30
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
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Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
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Blackrock Urban District	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
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Kingstown Urban District	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
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	Apr. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
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City of Belfast	Apr. 16	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	16	35
	Apr. 23	2	.	.	.	3	—	12	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	22	46
	Apr. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	19	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	34	61
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City of Cork	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	18	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20
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City of Londonderry	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3
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City of Limerick	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.
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City of Waterford	Apr. 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.
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## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 7th May, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever nil and 4; typhus one and 4; measles 15 and 17; scarlet fever 16 and 73,\* and diphtheria 15 and 50. Ten cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 35 remained under treatment at its close; of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria and 2 were from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 7th May, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roches Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 18th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 7th May, 1921.															Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.															
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.		
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.												
ALL CAUSES.	185.2	163	4	14	6	3	5	4	7	5	6	19	19	20	24	27	152	
Enteric Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Typhus ..	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Measles ..	4.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Scarlet Fever ..	4.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Whooping-cough ..	5.0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Diphtheria ..	.6	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	
Croup ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Influenza ..	3.2	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	
Dysentery ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Erysipelas ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	
Other Epidemic Diseases	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	1.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Tetanus ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
TUBERCULOSIS.																		
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	20.8	20	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	1	3	7	2	.	1	.	18	
Tuberculous Meningitis	2.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1.8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.6	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Disseminated "Tuberculosis.	1.8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Venereal Diseases ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cancer ..	10.6	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	2	8	
Tumour, situation undefined.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Rheumatic Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diabetes ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	
Other General Diseases	3.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Alcoholism ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Simple Meningitis ..	2.2	2	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy.	6.4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	4	.	8	
Softening of Brain ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Paralysis, without specified cause.	1.6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	3	
Epilepsy ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	4.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	3.4	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	3	
Pericarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Acute Endocarditis ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	14.4	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	3	1	3	12	
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Bronchitis ..	20.2	16	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	5	4	16	
Broncho-pneumonia ..	6.0	5	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	
Lobar pneumonia ..	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	8.0	11	.	1	1	1	.	1	.	1	1	.	3	1	1	.	10	
Pleurisy ..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	.6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	3	



registered in the EIGHTEENTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 7th May, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 18th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 7th May, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)		
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.															
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.												
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ..	2.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3.8	2	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	2.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Liver	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1
Acute Nephritis ..	1.8	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2
Chronic Bright's Disease	4.0	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	1	3
Urinary Calculi ..	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2
Diseases of Locomotor System.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	8	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Premature Birth ..	3.4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Congenital Debility ..	3.6	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Old Age ..	9.0	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	9	.	11
Other Specified Diseases	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
VIOLENCE.																		
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ..	4	2	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Drowning ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	7.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other Violent Deaths ..	1.0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2
Not included in above—																		
Homicide ..	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2
Suicide ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	2.8	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 7th MAY, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain ago-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																			IN INSTITU- TIONS.				Number of Uncertified Deaths.									
				FROM TAIN ALL CAUSES		FROM CER- TAIN EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES*		TOTAL DEATHS.																			In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.				In Workhouse Hospitals.							
								Under 1 year.																			In Hospital, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.											
								1 and under 2.																			In Hospital, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.											
COLS.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	Tuber- culosis.		(24)	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)			
																							Other Forms.	Pulmonary.		Pneumonia.	Other.									Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.
North City.		North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	23.3		14	3	1			2	3	2	2											3	1	1	5	7	1								
		" " 1, W.	42,900	15.8		13	1	2			3	3	3	3	3										1	1	1	2	8	1								
		" " 2	28,700	21.8		12	3				1	1	1	1	1										3	2	2	4	6	1								
		" " 3	35,600	14.6	2.9	10	2					2	3	3	3	2					1				1	1	2	2	4	1								
		CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	18.3		2	1					1	1	1	1	2															2	1						
South City.		COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	18.4		5	1																															
		FINGLAS AND GRASNEVIN, part of	11,600	4.5		1																																
		SOUTH CITY, No. 1	44,900	18.6	1.2	16	1		2			4	5	4	5							1			2	2	2		6									
		" " 2	18,900	27.6	5.5	10	2				1	2	3	3	3										3	3	1	1	4	1								
		" " 3	45,200	18.5		16	2					2	6	4	6										3	3	2	2	8	1								
Urban Districts.		" " 4	34,200	21.3	1.5	14	1				3	6	3	6																								
		NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800																																			
		RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	15.2		12	2				2	2	4	2	4									1		5	5		5									
		PEMBROKE	30,800	22.0		13					1		5	7	7									1		2	1	1	4	1								
		BLACKROCK	9,800	26.6		5						1	2	2	2										1		1	1	3	1								
Total Urban Districts		KINGSTOWN	17,900	27.1		9					2	4	4	4																								
		TOTAL	170,000	17.5	0.6	57	10	4	1	2	6	10	10	14							1	1		6	4	2	4	8	1	18	7	1						
		SOUTH	151,000	19.0	1.4	56	6	2	2	3	3	7	15	18							2			10	1	2	8	4	1	18	14	1						
		North and South	324,000	18.2	1.0	113	16	6	3	5	9	17	25	32							3			16	5	4	12	12	2	6	52	2	36	21	2			
		North and South	99,000	20.5		39	2			3	1	5	11	17										2	2	4	4	7		2	18	1	9	4	1			
Total Registration Area		Total Urban Districts	423,000	18.7	0.7	152	18	6	3	8	22	36	49							3		2	18	5	8	16	19	2	8	70	3	45	25	3				
		Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).																					2															



TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 7th May, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 7TH MAY, 1921																																
CAUSES OF DEATH.																																
CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	AGES.								CAUSES OF DEATH.												Violence.	Other Causes.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.					
					AGES.								CAUSES OF DEATH.																			
					Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Convulsions.				Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea & Enteritis of children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)			
ALL PERSONS.																																
DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																																
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.	14,658	14.2	4	6	2	7	8	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
II.	MIDDLE CLASS	101,798	20.0	39	2	3	7	12	8	3	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.	108,420	17.3	36	2	3	7	12	8	3	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS	167,479	17.7	57	18	2	4	10	11	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES, ..	5,602	—	27	1	2	1	3	7	7	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																															
	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments	7,868	—	4	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class	1,347	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	5,443	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS.																															
	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, &c.	9,523	—	4	1	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.	25,199	—	11	3	1	3	3	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants	33,249	—	9	3	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above	33,827	—	15	2	1	1	4	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.																															
	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers	11,777	—	4	1	.	2	4	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades	28,823	—	8	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	10. Clothing Trades	20,026	—	4	.	2	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	11. Food Supply Trades	8,952	—	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades	32,070	—	16	1	1	2	3	6	1	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	13. Petty Shopkeepers	6,772	—	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.																															
	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.	12,977	—	6	3	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	15. Domestic Servants	36,041	—	4	1	.	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Varnmen, &c.	15,380	—	5	1	.	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.	103,081	—	42	13	1	2	7	8	7	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.																															
	18. Workhouse Inmates	5,602	—	27	1	2	1	3	7	7	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

WEEK ENDING	Dublin Registration Area.														Belfast City.													
	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	Feb. 12.	Feb. 19.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.		
No. of weeks in Annual Series	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18		
Births registered	167	214	188	210	193	175	189	250	250	253	225	249	173	201	223	196	204	232	206	214	258	221	214	229	256	245		
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	215	211	205	212	215	206	221	206	210	216	214	200	212	201	206	207	215	203	205	217	211	201	209	219	221	205		
Number of Deaths	153	148	147	153	147	140	136	156	154	130	149	141	152	128	149	154	141	161	147	124	140	139	130	144	133	125		
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	18.9	18.2	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.4	17.4	18.7	15.9	18.5	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4	16.1	16.1	17.9	16.5	15.5		
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	150	154	208	216	218	205	205	194	201	197	192	162	173	183	171	175	174	179	185	184	174	169	168	164	151	136		
Ages	21	31	27	28	20	20	23	19	19	22	25	20	18	41	44	43	39	37	29	25	29	29	21	27	28	27		
Under one year	8	7	6	10	8	8	12	13	8	8	10	9	9	10	16	23	11	16	16	20	13	12	13	13	9	12		
1—5 years	15	12	15	14	14	15	16	27	18	15	15	9	18	14	17	14	13	25	17	14	15	9	25	16	12	14		
5—25	29	26	21	19	17	24	20	20	30	19	25	27	22	22	11	19	25	25	19	23	17	19	22	22	12	15		
25—45	36	34	37	30	39	40	31	34	41	27	34	29	36	20	26	24	23	32	26	24	29	32	24	38	34	28		
45—65	44	38	41	52	49	33	34	43	38	39	40	47	49	21	35	31	30	26	40	18	37	29	25	28	38	29		
65 and upwards																												
Deaths from :—																												
Enteric Fever	1																											
Typhus																												
Small-pox																												
Measles																												
Scarlet Fever	1																											
Whooping-cough																												
Diphtheria	4	1	1	3	2	1	1																					
Dysentery																												
Influenza	2	1	2	4	6	2	3	5	3	1	1	4	2	1	2	1	3	3										
Tuberculosis	18	18	16	24	18	23	23	22	23	16	15	13	18	13	5	13	17	17	17	18	10	15	30	11	11	17		
Cancer	16	6	10	8	4	7	6	7	11	5	7	4	5	7	4	5	6	3	7	7	4	6	2	6	4	2		
Diseases of Respi- ratory System	5	10	13	12	8	8	9	10	13	11	9	12	16	14	23	26	16	23	14	7	9	10	5	12	8	10		
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	23	26	20	29	25	20	25	14	18	19	17	20	19	19	15	14	21	11	21	15	15	9	12	14	13	14		
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	4	2	3	4	3	2	4	5	4	4	6	4	2		2	1	1	4	3	3	1	1	3	6	8	3		
Violent Deaths,	4	4	8	4	3	6	4	13	6	3	9	11	8		2	1	1	5	1	3	10	2	1	3	4			
Number of Uncertified Deaths	5	8	5	6	3	4	1	3	2	3	3	3	3	1	5	1	3	1	5	1	3	1	1	2	2	1		
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	44.7	48.9	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	52.4	52.4	54.1	51.1	52.0	58.1	55.1	44.7	50.2	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8	54.4	50.5	57.9	56.4			
B Mean Minimum	36.1	40.0	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.2	38.1	37.6	33.9	34.0	36.0	37.3	34.8	41.4	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2	41.0	40.5	33.8	41.4	41.3		
Mean of A and B	40.4	44.4	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	46.9	45.2	45.8	42.5	43.0	47.1	46.2	39.8	45.8	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	43.5	47.7	46.2	42.2	49.6	48.8		
Rainfall in inches	0.25	0.02	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.00	0.98	0.18	0.08	0.37	0.63	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45	0.05	0.39	0.57	0.01	0.50		





TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 7th May, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3
"  "  1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3
"  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2
"  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	4
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	3
"  "  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
"  "  "  3, ..	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	7
"  "  "  4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	5
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	.	1	.	.	.	6	5	.	1	.	1	.	.	10	.	.	6	30

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 7th May, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 7th May.			
	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	7	7	5	.	1	.	4
Typhus, .. ..	4	5	3	1	.	.	4
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	5	7	6	15	4	.	17
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	52	62	66	16	9	.	73*
Diphtheria, .. ..	39	43	45	15	9	1	50
Pneumonia, .. ..	28	31	30	10	3	2	35

\* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·4 and 17·3; Dublin Registration Area, 16·9 and 17·8; Dublin City, 18·7 and 18·1; Belfast, 15·0 and 16·2; Cork, 17·7 and 16·9; Londonderry, 17·4 and 19·1; Limerick, 21·7 and 22·3, and Waterford, 10·4 and 15·2.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Among the 121 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 9 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork there are 2 from diphtheria. Included in the 15 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is one from influenza. One of the 16 deaths from all causes for Limerick is from diphtheria. Of the 3 deaths from all causes for Lisburn one is from whooping-cough, and one of the 5 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from influenza.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 215—110 boys and 105 girls—and the deaths to 151—79 males and 72 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the nineteen weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·5 and was 7·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the nineteen weeks was 19·2, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 26·1.

Included in the 137 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were 0, 0, and 3; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 6, 4, and 2, and deaths from influenza one, 4, and 2.

There were 13 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (comprising 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from tuberculous meningitis) as against 22, 17, and 23 in the three weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 9 by bronchitis.

Of 9 deaths by violence registered last week one (that of an ex-soldier) was caused by gas poisoning; 6 deaths were by homicide, and there was one execution.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to pulmonary tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, 3 to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 5 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 30 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 137 deaths recorded, 56 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV;*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 14th May, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 14·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·1, and for Edinburgh 11·8.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 14th May. From this Report it appears that of 125 cases notified, 31 were scarlet fever, 23 diphtheria, 22 pulmonary tuberculosis, 17 other forms of tuberculosis, 16 chicken-pox, 6 erysipelas, 4 acute primary pneumonia, 3 ophthalmia neonatorum, 2 malaria, and one acute influenzal pneumonia. Among the 702 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 263 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 14 other forms of tuberculosis, 163 of scarlet fever, 108 of diphtheria, 67 of measles, 39 of venereal disease, 11 of whooping-cough, 7 of erysipelas, 2 of chicken-pox, 2 of puerperal fever, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, and one of enteric fever.

TABLE 1.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 14th May, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 23	1	1	.	.	.	—	8	—	8	2	1	—	.	.	.	13	.	.	—	21	55
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	6	1	.	—	3	.	.	5	.	.	—	17	44
	May. 7	.	1	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	1	.	—	1	.	.	10	.	.	—	6	30
	May 14	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	10	26
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	8
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	8
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Apr. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Apr. 23	2	.	.	.	3	—	12	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	22	46
	Apr. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	19	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	34	61
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	30	50
	May 14	.	.	.	.	1	—	12	—	6	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	31	53
City of Cork	Apr. 23	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	13
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	12
City of Londonderry	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Limerick	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	Apr. 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May. 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 14th May, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever one and one; typhus nil and 3; measles 5 and 15; scarlet fever 12 and 81,\* and diphtheria 13 and 49. Eleven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 37 remained under treatment at its close; of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of enteric fever and diphtheria.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 14th May, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URRAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

POPULATION.			REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 14TH MAY, 1921.										DEATHS.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																																			
TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.			Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by			BIRTHS										DEATHS.										WEEK ENDING 14TH MAY, 1921.					Air Temperature.																											
			Per-sons to an Acre.			DEATHS.			TOTAL NUMBER.										Caused by										Absolute Highest.					Absolute Lowest.					Mean Maximum (A).					Mean Minimum (B).					Mean of (A) and (B).					Rainfall in Inches.				
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)																					
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS			1,183,268	20.7	25.7	16.4	1.0	584	372	59	86	.	.	.	.	.	10	5	.	4	49	9	20	27	40	8	.	16	21	123	18	.	.	.	.	.	.																					
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA			423,000	30.3	26.5	16.9	0.6	215	137	24	30	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	13	3	8	13	11	4	.	9	8	56	3	(d) 65.1	32.0	59.4	43.2	51.3	1.47																					
CITY OF DUBLIN			324,000	39.7	29.3	18.7	0.6	182	116	21	22	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	12	2	7	11	12	3	.	8	8	50	3	(e) 64.0	41.8	59.4	47.5	53.5	0.48																					
RATHMINES and RATHGAR			41,100	42.0	20.3	10.1	1.3	16	8	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
Pembroke			30,800	19.6	15.2	6.8	.	9	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
BLACKROCK			9,806	9.0	5.3	21.3	.	1	4	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
KINGSTOWN			17,300	11.8	21.1	15.1	.	7	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
BELFAST			420,000	28.1	29.9	15.0	1.5	241	121	22	22	.	.	.	.	.	9	1	.	20	3	6	8	15	2	.	1	3	20	3	62.0	40.5	59.5	46.5	53.0	0.34																						
CORK			76,673	28.6	24.5	17.7	1.4	26	26	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	3	1	1	2	1	2	.	1	6	16	2	64	42	58.4	47.6	53.0	0.79																						
LONDON DERRY			45,000	17.4	31.3	17.4	1.4	27	15	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	3	3	.	2	1	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
LIMERICK			38,518	16.1	5.4	21.7	1.4	16	16	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	3	.	.	.	3	3	.	1	1	6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
WATERFORD			27,464	19.1	20.9	30.4	.	11	16	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	12	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
GALWAY			13,255	2.5	2.7	30.4	.	7	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
DUNDALK			13,128	9.5	2.2	30.4	.	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
LUGAN			12,553	14.7	2.2	30.4	.	9	5	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
DROGHEDA			12,501	8.4	2.2	30.4	.	4	4	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
LISBURN			12,388	10.9	2.2	30.4	.	4	4	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
NEWRY			11,963	17.0	2.2	30.4	.	4	4	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
PORTADOWN			11,727	15.3	2.2	30.4	.	4	4	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
WEXFORD			11,531	22.8	2.2	30.4	.	4	4	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
BALLYMENA			11,381	9.3	2.2	30.4	.	4	4	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
SLIGO			11,163	3.8	2.2	30.4	.	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
KILKENNY			10,514	11.4	2.2	30.4	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
TRALEE			10,300	17.4	2.2	30.4	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
CLONMEL			10,209	7.8	2.2	30.4	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.																				
LONDON			4,531,971	—	—	—	—	2,068	1012	08	375	.	.	.	.	.	17	—	—	87	21	105	88	87	87	7	6	37	96	486	.	75	41	68.6	45.9	57.3	30.31																					
EDINBURGH			446,200	—	—	—	—	208	101	12	30	.	.	.	.	.	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	5	—	—	—	64.0	44.0	58.4	46.3	52.4	0.07																					
GLASGOW			1,100,400	—	—	—	—	689	339g	69	86	.	.	.	.	.	6	5	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	15	—	—	—	63.2	45.0	59.0	48.5	53.7	0.19																					

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis. NOTE.—The return for Clonmel has not been received in time for press.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 19th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 14th May, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	211·0	151	16	11	3	3	3	1	4	7	8	16	20	27	18	14	137
Enteric Fever ..	1·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	6·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	5·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diphtheria ..	·6	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Croup ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	3·4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	2
Dysentery ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Erysipelas ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	22·8	14	.	1	.	.	1	.	2	.	3	3	3	1	.	.	13
Tuberculous Meningitis	1·8	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Venereal Diseases ..	·6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cancer ..	8·4	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	3	.	1	8
Tumour, situation undefined.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	1·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	·6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Other General Diseases	1·6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	.	4
Alcoholism ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Simple Meningitis ..	1·8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebral Hæmorrhage, Apoplexy.	4·6	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	3	.	1
Softening of Brain ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
Paralysis, without specified cause.	2·4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	4
Epilepsy ..	·8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	5·2	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	1·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3
Pericarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Acute Endocarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	15·6	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	4	2	4	13
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	1·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	·8	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	4
Diseases of the Larynx ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bronchitis ..	20·4	10	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	3	1	9
Broncho-pneumonia ..	9·0	6	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	6
Lobar pneumonia ..	1·0	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	7·2	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	4
Pleurisy ..	·4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion.	·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2
Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	1·2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	2















DEATHS.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.  
† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 15·5 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 2·1.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 14th May, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
"  "  1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3
"  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
"  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	4
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	4
"  "  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
"  "  "  3, ..	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3
"  "  "  4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	6
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	1	.	.	.	.	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	10	26

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 14th May, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 14th May.			
	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May 7.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	7	5	4	1	3	1	1
Typhus, .. ..	5	3	4	.	1	.	3
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	7	6	17	5	7	.	15
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	62	66	73	12	4	.	81*
Diphtheria, .. ..	43	45	50	13	13	1	49
Pneumonia, .. ..	31	30	35	11	9	.	37

\* Exclusive of 22 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·1 and 16·1; Dublin Registration Area, 12·0 and 16·3; Dublin City, 12·6 and 16·7; Belfast, 13·9 and 15·2; Cork, 12·9 and 17·2; Londonderry, 7·0 and 13·9; Limerick, 19·0 and 19·6, and Waterford, 15·2 and 17·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. Among the 112 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, 3 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Of the 19 deaths from all causes for Cork 2 are from diphtheria and one from influenza. Included in the 8 deaths from all causes for Waterford are one from influenza, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years; and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is from enteric fever.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 207—112 boys and 95 girls—and the deaths to 109—62 males and 47 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·3 and was 7·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty weeks was 18·9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·9.

Included in the 97 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, one from dysentery, and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were 0, one, and 0; deaths from diphtheria were 0, 3, and one; deaths from dysentery were one, 0, and 0, and deaths from influenza 4, 2, and 2.

There was one death from broncho-pneumonia.

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (comprising 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 17, 23, and 16 in the three weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 4 by meningitis, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis.

Of 6 deaths by violence registered last week one was caused by accidental burns; 3 deaths were by homicide, and one was by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to diphtheria, one was due to septicaemia, one to venereal disease, one to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pulmonary congestion, one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Twenty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 21 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 16 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 97 deaths recorded, 59 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 21st May, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 11·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 13·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·6, and for Edinburgh 13·8.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 21st May. From this Report it appears that of 95 cases notified, 27 were scarlet fever, 20 diphtheria, 13 chicken-pox, 10 pulmonary tuberculosis, 12 other forms of tuberculosis, 4 erysipelas, 7 acute primary pneumonia, and 2 ophthalmia neonatorum. Among the 690 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 270 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 15 other forms of tuberculosis, 161 of scarlet fever, 104 of diphtheria, 62 of measles, 42 of venereal disease, 13 of whooping-cough, 5 of erysipelas, 2 of chicken pox, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, one of puerperal fever, and one of enteric fever.

TABLE 1.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 21st May, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trachea Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	6	1	.	—	3	.	.	5	.	.	—	17	44
	May 7	.	1	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	1	.	—	1	.	.	10	.	.	—	6	30
	May 14	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	10	26
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	1	.	—	2	.	.	5	.	.	—	4	18
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	4
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	8
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Apr. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	4
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	2
City of Belfast	Apr. 30	1	.	.	.	.	—	19	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	34	61
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	30	50
	May 14	.	.	.	.	1	—	12	—	6	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	31	53
	May 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	27	53
City of Cork	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	12
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9 <sup>a</sup>
City of Londonderry	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	May 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
City of Waterford	Apr. 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 7	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

<sup>a</sup> Not including one case of Varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 21st May, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever one and 2; typhus nil and 2; measles 2 and 7; scarlet fever 8 and 82,\* and diphtheria 6 and 48. Ten cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 38 remained under treatment at its close.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 21st May, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 21st May, 1921.																	
CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 20th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	All Ages.	Ages at Death.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	185.8	109	11	7	3	3	3	3	6	2	8	5	22	14	13	9	97
Enteric Fever..	.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	3.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	5.2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diphtheria ..	.6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Croup ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	2.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Dysentery ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Erysipelas ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	22.6	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	4	1	.	.	11
Tuberculous Meningitis	3.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Abdominal Tuberculosis	1.0	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	2.4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	3
Venereal Diseases ..	.2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cancer ..	10.8	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	.	.	5
Tumour, situation undefined.	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	1.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Other General Diseases	2.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Alcoholism ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Simple Meningitis ..	2.6	4	.	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Cerebral Hamorrhage, Apoplexy.	5.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Softening of Brain ..	.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	2.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1
Epilepsy ..	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	4.6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	3.0	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	3
Pericarditis ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Endocarditis ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	13.6	8	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	4	.	8
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	2.2	4	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	4
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bronchitis ..	18.2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Broncho-pneumonia ..	8.0	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	1	6
Lobar pneumonia ..	2.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	6.2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pleurisy ..	.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion.	.4	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	1.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1









TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 21st May, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 21ST MAY, 1921																																	
CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Popula- tion in each Class Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	AGES.								CAUSES OF DEATH.												Number of Uncer- tified Deaths.								
					Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis			Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea & En- teritis of chil- dren under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and up- wards.	Violence.	Other Causes.				
																					Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Convulsions.						Pneumonia.	Other.		
																																(20)	(21)
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)		
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	109	24	9	8	13	36	13	9	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	11	5	6	1	3	10	.	.	7	62	.		
I.	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																																
II.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																																
III.	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public De- partments	14,658	7.1	2	2	1	2	2	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	1	11	2	.	
IV.	MIDDLE CLASS	101,798	8.7	17	4	5	2	5	7	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	5	3	2	1	2	1	4	.	1	14	.	.	
V.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.	108,420	11.5	24	4	5	2	5	8	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	3	3	2	1	.	4	.	1	5	28	.	.	
VI.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS	167,479	14.9	48	17	5	4	3	11	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	
VII.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES, ..	5,602	—	18	1	.	.	3	9	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	
VIII.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																																
IX.	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public De- partments	7,868	—	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.
X.	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class	1,347	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
XI.	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	5,443	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
XII.	MIDDLE CLASS.																																
XIII.	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Ser- vice, Banking, &c.	9,523	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
XIV.	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.	25,199	—	3	1	1	1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.
XV.	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants	33,249	—	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.
XVI.	7. Miscellaneous—including all House- holders in Second Class Localities not included in above	33,827	—	8	.	.	1	2	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
XVII.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.																																
XVIII.	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Prin- ters, Watchmakers, and Jewellers	11,777	—	1	2	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	.
XIX.	9. Building and Furnishing Trades	28,823	—	7	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
XX.	10. Clothing Trades	20,026	—	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.
XXI.	11. Food Supply Trades	8,952	—	12	1	.	2	3	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.
XXII.	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades	32,070	—	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
XXIII.	13. Petty Shopkeepers GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.	6,772	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
XXIV.	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.	12,977	—	7	2	1	.	1	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	5	.	.
XXV.	15. Domestic Servants	36,041	—	5	1	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.
XXVI.	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c.	15,380	—	4	1	1	.	2	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	6	16	.	.
XXVII.	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c. INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.	103,081	—	32	14	3	4	2	6	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
XXVIII.	18. Workhouse Inmates	5,602	—	18	1	.	.	3	9	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	5	.	.	.	7	.	.	.

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
WEEK ENDING	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	Feb. 26.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.
No. of weeks in Annual Series	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
BIRTHS registered	188	210	193	175	189	250	250	253	225	249	173	215	207	196	204	232	206	214	258	221	214	229	256	245	241	210
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	205	212	215	206	221	206	210	216	214	200	212	232	224	207	215	203	205	217	211	201	209	219	221	205	210	229
Number of Deaths	147	153	147	140	136	156	154	130	149	141	152	137	97	154	141	161	147	124	140	139	130	144	133	125	121	112
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	18.1	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.4	17.4	18.7	16.9	12.0	19.1	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4	16.1	16.1	17.9	16.5	15.5	15.0	13.9
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	208	216	218	205	205	194	201	197	192	162	173	183	156	175	174	179	185	184	174	169	168	164	151	136	126	131
Ages	27	28	20	20	23	19	19	22	25	20	18	24	17	43	39	37	29	25	29	29	21	27	28	27	22	17
Under one year	6	10	8	8	12	13	8	8	10	9	9	6	5	23	11	16	16	20	13	12	13	13	9	12	18	6
1-5 years	15	14	14	15	16	27	18	15	15	9	18	13	13	14	13	25	17	14	15	9	25	16	12	14	10	12
5-25	21	19	17	24	20	20	30	19	25	27	22	21	9	19	25	25	19	23	17	19	22	22	12	15	19	20
25-45	37	30	39	40	31	34	41	27	34	29	36	43	32	24	23	32	26	24	29	32	24	38	34	28	30	28
45-65	41	52	49	33	34	43	38	39	40	47	49	30	21	31	30	26	40	18	37	29	25	28	29	22	29	29
65 and upwards																										
Deaths from :—																										
Enteric Fever	1						1	1						1		2		2		1		1				
Typhus																										
Small-pox																										
Measles																										
Scarlet Fever							1			1				1		1		2		3	1	2				1
Whooping-cough	1		1		1			1			1			1		10	16	7	8	9	7	10	9			3
Diphtheria	1	3	2	1	1			1			3	1	1	2		1		1	1			2				1
Dysentery																										
Influenza	2	4	6	2	3	5	3	1	1	4	2	2	1	1	3	3		1	1	3	1	3				
Tuberculosis	16	24	18	23	23	22	23	16	15	13	13	13	11	13	17	17	17	18	10	15	30	11	11	17	20	26
Cancer	4	4	3	7	6	7	11	5	7	4	5	3	4	5	3	7	7	7	4	6	2	6	4	2	3	5
Diseases of Respi- ratory System	10	8	4	7	7	17	9	7	5	9	8	8	5	11	6	3	4	7	9	10	5	12	8	10	6	11
Diarrhoea & Enteritis	13	12	18	8	9	10	13	11	9	12	16	13	1	26	16	23	14	7	6	14	12	13	14	8	5	6
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	20	29	25	20	25	14	18	19	17	20	19	14	9	14	21	11	21	15	15	9	12	18	11	8	15	6
Violent Deaths,	3	4	3	2	4	5	4	4	6	4	2	4		1	4	3	3	3	1	1	3	6	3	2	1	1
Number of Uncertified Deaths	8	4	3	6	4	13	6	3	9	11	8	9	6	1	1	5	1	3	10	2	1	2	3	4	1	2
Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	49.2	50.8	50.3	52.0	52.4	54.1	54.1	51.1	52.0	53.1	55.1	59.4	60.5	48.3	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8	54.4	51.8	50.5	57.9	56.4	59.5	59.0
Mean Minimum	34.7	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.2	38.1	37.6	33.9	34.0	36.0	37.3	43.2	40.5	39.6	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2	41.0	40.5	33.8	41.4	41.3	46.5	42.5
Mean of A and B	41.9	45.3	42.9	44.3	46.9	45.2	45.8	42.5	43.0	47.1	46.2	51.3	50.5	43.9	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	43.5	47.7	46.2	42.2	49.6	48.8	53.0	50.8
Rainfall in inches	0.37	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.00	0.98	1.47	0.09	0.37	0.63	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45	0.05	0.39	0.57	0.01	0.50	0.34	0.05



**TABLE VII.**—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 21st May, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 14.0 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 1.0.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 21st May, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
"  "  1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
"  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
"  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	3
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	4
"  "  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
"  "  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	5
"  "  "  4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	1	.	2	.	.	5	.	.	4	18

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 21st May, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 21st May.			
	Apr. 30.	May 7.	May 14.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	5	4	1	1	.	.	2
Typhus, ..	3	4	3	.	1	.	2
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	6	17	15	2	10	.	7
Scarlet Fever, ..	66	73	81	8	7	.	82*
Diphtheria, ..	45	50	49	6	7	.	48
Pneumonia, ..	30	35	37	10	9	.	38

\* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·4 and 15·1 ; Dublin Registration Area, 13·9 and 15·4 ; Dublin City, 15·1 and 16·1 ; Belfast, 13·8 and 14·6 ; Cork, 15·0 and 15·8 ; Londonderry, 5·8 and 11·6 ; Limerick, 12·2 and 18·6, and Waterford, 13·3 and 18·0.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 111 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 8 from whooping-cough and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 5 deaths from all causes for Londonderry one is from influenza. Included in the 9 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from diphtheria. The only death recorded for Lurgan is from influenza. One of the 3 deaths from all causes for Lisburn is from whooping-cough, as also one of the 2 deaths for Newry, and of the 7 deaths from all causes for Wexford one is from scarlet fever and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 250—118 boys and 138 girls—and the deaths to 130—66 males and 64 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 17) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·1 and was 6·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-one weeks was 18·7, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·7.

Included in the 113 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were 3, one, and one ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 2, 4, and 0, and deaths from influenza 2, 2, and one.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia and 7 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (comprising 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 4 from tuberculous meningitis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis) as against 23, 16, and 15 in the three weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 2 by meningitis, 14 by organic diseases of the heart, and 14 by bronchitis.

Of 5 deaths by violence registered last week one was caused by accidental burns ; 2 were by vehicles, and 2 deaths were by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to influenza, one to disseminated tuberculosis, one to venereal disease, 4 to convulsions, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis of children under two years, and 3 to premature birth.

Twenty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 17 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 20 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 113 deaths recorded, 48 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 28th May, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 11·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 28th May. From this Report it appears that of 102 cases notified, 19 were pulmonary tuberculosis, 17 other forms of tuberculosis, 18 diphtheria, 16 scarlet fever, 13 chicken-pox, 9 erysipelas, 3 acute primary pneumonia, 3 malaria, 2 puerperal fever, one cerebo-spinal fever, and one ophthalmia neonatorum. Among the 663 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 260 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 16 other forms of tuberculosis, 148 of scarlet fever, 100 of diphtheria, 54 of measles, 35 of venereal disease, 12 of whooping-cough, 8 of erysipelas, 3 of chicken pox, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 2 of puerperal fever, and one of cerebo spinal fever.

TABLE 1.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 28th May, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 7	7	1					6		5	1			1			10				6	30
	May 14	1						3		2							4				10	26
	May 21							4		2	1			2			5				4	18
	May 28	2						2		10				2	1		4				1	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 7							2														2
	May 14							1		1												2
	May 21							1		2												3
	May 28																					
Pembroke Urban District	May 7							7									1					8
	May 14							3														3
	May 21																					
	May 28							5		1	1											7
Blackrock Urban District	May 7							1														1
	May 14																					
	May 21																					
	May 28						1															1
Kingstown Urban District	May 7																					
	May 14																					
	May 21									1											1	2
	May 28									1												1
City of Belfast	May 7							12		6	1						1				30	50
	May 14						1	12		6	2	1									31	53
	May 21	1						13		9	1						2				27	53
	May 28	3						14		3	1						2				22	45
City of Cork	May 7							1		9	1											11
	May 14							2		9	1											12
	May 21							1		8												9
	May 28	1								7		1										9
City of Londonderry	May 7																					
	May 14							2		1												3
	May 21	1						1		2												4
	May 28																					
City of Limerick	May 7																					
	May 14																					
	May 21							1		1												2
	May 28									5												5
City of Waterford	May 7																					
	May 14																					
	May 21																					
	May 28																					

a Not including one case of Variella.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 28th May, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever nil and 2; measles 7 and 11; scarlet fever 6 and 75,\* and diphtheria 17 and 52. Ten cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 34 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria and 2 were from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 28th May, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page of 1921. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Observations (including one from an entomeric tower) in Tralee No. 2 district.

TABLE III.—DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—Deaths at Fourteen periods of Life from each Cause each cause in the CORRESPONDING WEEK

Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 28th May, 1921.																	
CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 21st Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	All Ages.	Ages at Death.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month.	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
ALL CAUSES.	160.0	130	9	8	7	3	4	4	4	8	7	11	15	19	19	12	113
Enteric Fever ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Typhus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles ..	3.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scarlet Fever ..	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Whooping-cough ..	4.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diphtheria ..	1.4	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Croup ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Influenza ..	2.6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Dysentery ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.
Erysipelas ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Epidemic Diseases	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pyæmia and Septicæmia (non-puerperal).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tetanus ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TUBERCULOSIS.																	
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	22.4	16	.	.	1	1	1	.	3	5	2	3	1	1	.	.	13
Tuberculous Meningitis	2.8	4	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Abdominal Tuberculosis	2.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of the Spinal Column.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of Joints ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tuberculosis of other Organs.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Scrofula ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Disseminated Tuberculosis.	1.0	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Veneral Diseases ..	.2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Cancer ..	10.0	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	4
Tumour, situation undefined.	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Rheumatic Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diabetes ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Anæmia, Leucocythæmia.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other General Diseases	2.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Alcoholism ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Poisonings ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cerebro-spinal Fever ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Simple Meningitis ..	1.8	2	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Cerebral Hemorrhage, Apoplexy.	3.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1
Softening of Brain ..	.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Paralysis, without specified cause.	2.0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1
Epilepsy ..	.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Convulsions (non-puerperal).	2.2	6	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Nervous System.	2.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1
Pericarditis ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Endocarditis ..	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Organic Diseases of the Heart.	15.2	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	4	6	2	14
Embolism and Thrombosis (including Cerebral).	.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1
Other Diseases of Circulatory System.	1.2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	3
Diseases of the Larynx ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Bronchitis ..	17.6	15	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Broncho-pneumonia ..	6.6	4	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	4	3	4	2	14
Lobar pneumonia ..	1.8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4
Pneumonia (type not distinguished).	4.0	8	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	7
Pleurisy ..	.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Pulmonary Congestion, Pulmonary Apoplexy.	.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Respiratory System.	1.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1



registered in the TWENTY-FIRST WEEK, ending Saturday, 28th May, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.		Average number of deaths in 21st Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 28th May, 1921.													Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)			
			All Ages.	Ages at Death.															
				0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.		65-75.	75 and upwards.	
				Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.												
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ...	2.2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3.6	3	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Appendicitis and Typhilitis.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Cirrhosis of Liver ...	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1
Acute Nephritis ...	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Chronic Bright's Disease	3.6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	1	.	.	7
Urinary Calculi ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	2
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Locomotor System.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Premature Birth ...	3.8	3	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Congenital Debility ...	3.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Old Age ...	4.0	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	.	.	6
Other Specified Diseases	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
VIOLENCE.																			
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ...	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Drowning ...	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed ...	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ...	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ...	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Ships, Boats, Docks ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ...	2.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths ...	2.0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Not included in above—																			
Homicide ...	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Suicide ...	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ...	2.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 28th MAY, 1921, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 28TH MAY, 1921.																DEATHS.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
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ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.																In House Hospitals.		In Asylums.		Number of Unreported Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
FROM ALL CAUSES		FROM CERTAIN EPI- DEMIC DISEASES*		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																										



**TABLE V.**—Showing in Five General Classes and Eighteen Groups the Occupations or Social Position of the Persons whose Deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 28th May, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 28TH MAY, 1921																																																	
OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.			AGES.										CAUSES OF DEATH.																																				
			Total Number of Deaths.										Tuberculosis.			Diseases of the Respiratory System.			Diarrhoea & Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.			Violence.			Other Causes.																								
			Deaths.										Pulmonary.			Pneumonia.			Other.			Diarrhoea & Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.			Violence.			Other Causes.																					
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)																	
Popula- tion in each Class and Group in 1911.			Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.											Enteric Fever.			Typhus.			Small-pox.			Measles.			Scarlet Fever.			Whooping-cough.			Diphtheria.			Dysentery.			Influenza.											
ALL PERSONS.			397,957	—	130	27	8	12	18	34	19	12	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	16	6	5	6	12	16	3	.	8	55	2																		
CLASSES.																																																	
DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																																																	
PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																																																	
1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments			14,658	14.2	4	1	3	5	1	6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	2	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
MIDDLE CLASS			101,798	15.9	31	5	3	4	10	6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	3	1	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.			108,420	12.0	25	5	3	4	6	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	3	1	3	7	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
GENERAL SERVICE CLASS			197,479	16.2	52	16	2	9	14	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	3	1	3	7	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.			5,602	—	18	5	2	.	3	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																																																	
1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments			7,868	—	3	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class			1,347	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described			5,443	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
MIDDLE CLASS.																																																	
4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, &c.			9,523	—	3	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.			25,199	—	6	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants			33,249	—	11	.	1	1	1	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above			33,827	—	11	1	2	2	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.																																																	
8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers			11,777	—	2	1	.	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
9. Building and Furnishing Trades			28,823	—	9	1	.	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
10. Clothing Trades			20,026	—	7	2	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
11. Food Supply Trades			8,952	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades			32,070	—	5	1	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
13. Petty Shopkeepers			6,772	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.																																																	
14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.			12,977	—	6	1	.	3	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
15. Domestic Servants			36,041	—	6	2	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vainmen, &c.			15,380	—	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													
17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.			103,081	—	36	11	4	2	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	1	2	3	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.														
INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.																																																	
18. Workhouse inmates			5,602	—	18	5	2	.	3	5	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.													

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.												
WEEK ENDING	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	May 28.	Mar. 5.	Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	May 28.	
No. of weeks in Annual Series	..	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Births registered	..	210	193	175	189	250	250	253	225	249	173	215	207	256	204	232	206	214	258	221	214	229	256	245	241	210	169
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	..	212	215	206	221	206	210	216	214	200	212	232	224	209	215	203	205	217	211	201	209	219	221	205	210	229	214
Number of Deaths	..	153	147	140	136	156	154	130	149	141	152	137	97	113	141	161	147	124	140	139	130	144	133	125	121	112	111
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	..	18.9	18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.4	17.4	18.7	16.9	12.0	13.9	17.5	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4	16.1	16.1	17.9	16.5	15.5	15.0	13.9	13.8
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	..	216	218	205	205	194	201	197	192	162	173	183	156	147	174	179	185	184	174	169	168	164	151	136	126	131	125
Ages	..	28	20	20	23	19	19	22	25	20	18	24	17	17	39	37	29	25	29	29	21	27	28	27	22	17	17
Under one year	..	10	8	8	12	13	8	8	10	9	9	6	5	10	11	16	16	20	13	12	13	13	9	12	18	6	6
1-5 years	..	14	14	15	16	27	18	15	15	9	18	13	13	14	13	25	17	14	15	9	25	16	12	14	10	12	18
5-25	..	19	17	24	20	20	30	19	25	27	22	21	9	13	26	25	19	23	17	19	22	22	12	15	19	20	19
25-45	..	30	39	40	31	34	41	27	34	29	36	43	32	32	23	32	26	24	29	22	34	38	34	28	30	28	29
45-65	..	52	49	33	34	43	38	39	40	47	49	30	21	27	30	26	40	18	37	29	25	28	29	22	29	22	22
65 and upwards	..																										
Deaths from:—																											
Enteric Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..
Typhus	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dysentery	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Influenza	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tuberculosis	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cancer	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diseases of Respi-	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ratory System {Pneumonia	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Violent Deaths, 2 years and upwards	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Uncertified Deaths	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	..	50.8	50.3	52.0	52.4	52.4	54.1	51.1	52.0	58.1	55.1	59.4	60.5	62.1	49.6	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8	54.4	51.8	50.5	57.9	56.4	59.5	59.0	62.9
B Mean Minimum	..	39.8	35.5	36.5	40.2	38.1	37.6	33.9	34.0	36.0	37.3	43.2	40.5	41.1	37.0	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2	41.0	40.5	33.8	41.4	41.3	46.5	42.5	46.4
Mean of A and B	..	45.3	42.9	44.3	45.2	45.8	45.8	42.5	43.0	47.1	46.2	51.3	50.5	51.6	43.3	42.7	45.3	47.2	43.5	47.7	46.2	42.2	49.6	48.8	53.0	50.8	54.6
Rainfall in inches	..	0.30	0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.00	0.98	1.47	0.09	0.30	0.63	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45	0.05	0.39	0.57	0.01	0.50	0.34	0.05	0.28





TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 28th May, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
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Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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Total, ..	2	.	.	.	.	2	10	.	.	.	2	1	.	4	.	.	1	22

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 28th May, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 28th May.			
	May 7.	May 14.	May 21.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	4	1	2	.	.	.	2
Typhus, ... ..	4	3	2	.	2	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	17	15	7	7	3	.	11
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	73	81	82	6	13	.	75*
Diphtheria, .. ..	50	49	48	17	12	1	52
Pneumonia, .. ..	35	37	38	10	12	2	34

\* Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·0 and 14·1; Dublin Registration Area, 14·8 and 14·4; Dublin City, 13·5 and 15·0; Belfast, 12·9 and 13·9; Cork, 10·9 and 14·1; Londonderry, 7·0 and 9·3; Limerick, 9·5 and 15·6, and Waterford, 15·2 and 18·5.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 104 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 7 from whooping-cough, 4 from diarrhoeal diseases and one from influenza. The 16 deaths from all causes for Cork include one from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Of the 8 deaths from all causes for Waterford one is from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 221—115 boys and 106 girls—and the deaths to 133—64 males and 69 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·0 and was 6·8 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-two weeks was 18·6, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·4.

Included in the 120 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, one from dysentery, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and one; deaths from dysentery 0, one and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 0, and 3.

There were 17 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 6 from broncho-pneumonia, 5 from lobar pneumonia and 6 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (comprising 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 16, 15, and 18 in the three weeks preceding.

Three deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

Of 3 deaths by violence registered last week one was caused by accidental scalds; one death was ascribed to homicide and one to suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to septicæmia, 3 to venereal disease, one to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations and one to premature birth.

Nineteen of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 14 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 31 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 29 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 120 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 4th June, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 4th June. From this Report it appears that of 136 cases notified, 83 were chicken-pox, 52 diphtheria, 31 scarlet fever, 16 pulmonary tuberculosis, 14 other forms of tuberculosis, 3 erysipelas, 3 acute primary pneumonia, 2 acute influenzal pneumonia, one dysentery, and one ophthalmia neonatorum. Among the 683 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 267 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 16 other forms of tuberculosis, 147 of scarlet fever, 107 of diphtheria, 50 of measles, 43 of venereal disease, 15 of whooping-cough, 9 of erysipelas, 5 of chicken pox, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, 2 of puerperal fever, one of dysentery, and one of cerebro-spinal fever.

TABLE 1.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 4th June, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 14	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	10	26
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	4	18
	May 28	2	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	10	.	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	—	1	22
	June 4	2	1	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	23	36
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
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	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
Blackrock Urban District	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	2
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	4
City of Belfast†	May 14	.	.	.	.	1	—	12	—	6	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	31	53
	May 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	27	53
	May 28	3	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	22	45
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	21	35
City of Cork	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	12 <sup>a</sup>
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	May 28	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	2 <sup>a</sup>
City of Londonderry	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	May 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Limerick	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
City of Waterford	May 14	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

† In Belfast ophthalmia neonatorum has been made a notifiable disease as from 1st June, 1921.

<sup>a</sup> Not including one case of Varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 4th June, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever 3 and 5 ; typhus one and one ; measles nil and 9 ; scarlet fever 7 and 72,\* and diphtheria 10 and 56. Four cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 29 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 4th June, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		POPULATION.		REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 4TH JUNE, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																						
				Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS.		DEATHS.										WEEK ENDING 4TH JUNE, 1921.						Air Temperature.														
Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.			DEATHS.		TOTAL NUMBER.	TOTAL NUMBER.	Caused by										Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.												
		From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.			Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.	Pneumonia.							Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.					
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)		
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS		1,183,268	20·7	28·9	13·0	0·8	655	294	41	78	.	.	.	7	3	1	1	32	15	14	28	29	6	1	10	11	93	10	.	.	.	.	.	.		
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA. ...		423,000	30·3	27·2	14·8	0·5	221	120	14	31	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	13	5	3	17	15	2	.	3	3	52	1	(d)	65·0	35·6	60·2	40·1	50·1	10·4	
CITY OF DUBLIN		324,000	39·7	29·8	13·5	0·5	185	84	11	15	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	12	4	1	12	11	2	.	2	2	38	.	(e)	65·9	39·0	59·9	45·8	52·8	80·27	
RATHMINES and RATHGAR		41,100	42·0	17·8	19·0	.	14	15	.	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	(f)	66·8	36·6	60·9	42·3	51·6	0·16	
Pembroke		30,800	19·6	25·4	20·3	1·7	15	12	3	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	.	.	1	1	6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Blackrock		9,806	9·0	16·0	21·3	.	3	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KINGSTOWN		17,300	11·8	12·1	15·1	.	4	5	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts.		420,000	28·1	33·8	12·9	1·4	272	104	18	24	.	.	.	7	1	.	1	16	5	8	8	6	3	3	3	4	22	1	65·0	38·4	58·6	42·5	50·6	62		
BELFAST		76,673	28·6	36·0	10·9	1·4	53	16	3	3	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	2	7	3	69	40	59·1	45·9	52·5	39		
CORK		45,000	17·4	35·9	7·0	.	31	6	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDONDERRY		38,518	16·1	23·0	9·5	.	17	7	3	6	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LIMERICK		27,464	19·1	22·8	15·2	1·9	12	8	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
WATERFORD		13,255	2·5	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
GALWAY		13,128	9·5	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DUNDALK		12,553	14·7	.	.	.	6	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LURGAN		12,501	8·4	.	.	.	8	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
DROGHEDA		12,388	10·9	.	.	.	6	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LISBURN		11,963	17·0	.	.	.	4	4	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
NEWRY		11,727	15·3	.	.	.	7	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PORTADOWN		11,531	22·8	.	.	.	4	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
WEXFORD		11,531	9·3	.	.	.	4	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BALLYMENA		11,381	9·3	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
SLIGO		11,163	3·8	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KILKENNY		10,514	11·4	.	.	.	3	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TRALEE		10,300	17·4	.	.	.	3	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
CLONMEL		10,209	7·8	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
LONDON		4,531,971	—	—	—	—	1,971	868	108	280	3	.	.	6	14	—	—	103	18	107	56	50	9	5	31	73	478	1	73	47	68·3	48·4	58·4	0·33		
EDINBURGH		446,200	—	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
GLASGOW		1,100,400	—	—	—	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimates shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.





registered in the TWENTY-SECOND WEEK, ending Saturday, 4th June, 1921, with the average deaths from  
of the Five Years, 1916-20.

		Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 4th June, 1921.															
CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 22nd Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	All Ages.	Ages at Death.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registra- tion Area (included in the foregoing)
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.	75 and upwards.	
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Stomach ...	1·6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	2
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3·0	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Appendicitis and Typh- litis.	·6	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cirrhosis of Liver ...	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Peritonitis (cause un- known).	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Di- gestive System.	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis ..	·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Chronic Bright's Disease	4·4	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	1	.	6
Urinary Calculi	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non- cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non- cancerous).	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito- urinary System.	1·0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	i	2
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child- birth.	·6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1·4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Diseases of Locomotor System.	·6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malforma- tions.	·6	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Premature Birth ..	3·0	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Congenital Debility ..	4·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Old Age ..	7·2	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	9
Other Specified Diseases	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ..	·2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Drowning ..	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	2·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Violent Deaths ..	2·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Not included in above—																	
Homicide ..	·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Suicide ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Execution ..	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	3·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 4th JUNE, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.														
		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1921.		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.																
		FROM ALL CAUSES		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.																
		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.		Influenza.	Tuberculosis.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse.				
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	
North City.																																		
North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	16.7			10	2	1		1		1										1	1			1	2						1	4	
" " 1, W.	42,900	8.5			7	1			1		1										2	1			1	1						1	4	
" " 2	28,700	14.5	1.8		2	2		2	1	2	1										2				1	1						2		
" " 3	35,600	9.9			2					1	1													1	1									
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	27.4			3					3	2										1				1	1						2		
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	18.4			5	1				2	1													1	1									
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	18.0			4					1															1	1								
South City.																																		
South City, No. 1	44,900	18.6	1.2	16	3		1	5	2	2	3										4	1			1	1	1					5	5	
" " 2	18,900	13.8		5	1				2	1	1													1	1	1						2	1	
" " 3	45,200	12.7	1.2	11	1				1	5	3								1					1	1	3						3	3	
" " 4	34,200	16.8		11	1			2	1	5	1										1	1			2	1						3	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	9.7		2						1											1													
Urban Districts.																																		
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	19.0		15				1	1	3	10										1	1			1	1						3	1	
PENMBROCK	30,800	20.3	1.7	12	3			1	1	3	3													3	1							6	1	
BLACKBROCK	9,800	21.3		4						2	1													1	1							1	1	
KINGTOWN	17,300	15.1		5				1		2	2										1				1	3						2		
TOTAL		170,000	12.0	39	5	2	3	4	5	14	6										6	2	1	7	5	7	5					6	9	
CITY.		154,000	15.2	45	6		2	1	6	14	9								1		6	2		5	6	5					2	13	10	
North and South		324,000	13.5	84	11	2	2	4	11	28	15										12	4	1	12	11	12						2	19	
Total Urban Districts		99,000	19.0	36	3	1		3	2	11	16							1			1	1	2	5	4						1	12	2	1
Total Registration Area		423,000	14.8	120	14	3	2	4	14	13	31							1	1		5	3	17	15	15	2					3	31	21	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).				13					6	4	3									2		3				1					7		1	

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.



**TABLE V.**—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITIONS of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 4th June, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 4TH JUNE, 1921																																				
CAUSES OF DEATH.																																				
Class.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Popula- tion in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	AGES.								CAUSES OF DEATH.														Violence.	Other Causes.	Number of Uncer- tified Deaths.							
					Under 5 years.								Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza	Tuberculosis		Cancer.	Convulsions.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.				Diarrhoea & Em- teritis of chil- dren under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and up- wards.					
					5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.										Pneumonia.	Other.													
I.	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	(3) 133	(4) 19	(5) 4	(6) 14	(7) 19	(8) 43	(9) 16	(10) 18	(11) .	(12) .	(13) .	(14) .	(15) .	(16) .	(17) 1	(18) 1	(19) .	(20) 15	(21) 5	(22) 6	(23) 1	(24) 17	(25) 16	(26) 2	(27) .	(28) 3	(29) 66	(30) 1					
II.	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE— PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.	14,658	32.0	9	2	1	7	7	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	7	.					
III.	MIDDLE CLASS	101,798	20.0	39	3	1	7	10	10	5	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	8	3	3	1	.	.	19	.					
IV.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.	108,420	12.0	25	3	2	2	6	11	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	1	3	1	7	3	4	.	.	12	.					
V.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS	167,479	11.8	38	8	2	3	5	10	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	5	1	.	.	17	1					
VI.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES, ..	5,602	—	22	3	1	2	1	11	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	.					
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public De- partments	7,868	—	9	2	.	.	.	1	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	7	.					
II.	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class	1,347	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
III.	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	5,443	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.				
IV.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Ser- vice, Banking, &c.	9,523	—	6	.	.	.	2	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.					
V.	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.	25,199	—	7	1	1	6	2	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	2	3	.	.	.	2	.					
VI.	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ..	33,249	—	11	2	1	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.					
VII.	7. Miscellaneous—including all House- holders in Second Class Localities not included in above ..	33,827	—	15	.	.	1	2	5	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	10	.					
VIII.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS. 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Prin- ters, Watchmakers, and Jewellers	11,777	—	6	1	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.					
IX.	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ..	28,823	—	1	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.					
X.	10. Clothing Trades ..	20,026	—	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.					
XI.	11. Food Supply Trades ..	8,952	—	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	.					
XII.	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ..	32,070	—	15	1	.	2	2	8	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	.					
XIII.	13. Petty Shopkeepers ..	6,772	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.				
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.	12,977	—	1	1	.	2	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.					
V.	15. Domestic Servants ..	36,041	—	3	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.					
VI.	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vannmen, &c.	15,380	—	27	6	1	1	4	8	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	1	.	4	3	.	.	.	13	.					
VII.	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c. ..	103,081	—	27	6	1	1	4	8	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.					
VIII.	18. INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. Workhouse Inmates ..	5,602	—	22	3	1	2	1	11	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	5	1	.	.	11	.					

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.																												
WEEK ENDING															Mar. 12.	Mar. 19.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May 14.	May 21.	May 28.	June 4.																
No. of weeks in Annual Series ..															10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22																
BIRTHS registered ..															193	175	189	250	250	253	225	249	173	215	207	256	221	232	206	214	258	221	201	209	219	221	205	210	169	272			
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..															215	206	221	206	210	216	214	200	212	232	224	209	238	203	205	217	211	201	209	219	221	210	229	214	219	210	229	214	219
Number of Deaths ..															147	140	136	156	154	130	149	141	152	137	97	113	120	161	147	124	140	130	130	144	133	125	121	112	111	104			
Annual Death-rate per 1,000 ..															18.1	17.3	16.8	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.4	17.4	18.7	16.9	12.0	13.9	14.8	20.0	18.3	15.4	17.4	16.1	16.1	17.9	16.5	15.5	15.0	13.9	13.8	12.9			
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years ..															218	205	205	194	201	197	192	162	173	183	156	147	144	179	185	181	174	169	168	164	151	136	126	131	125	118			
Under one year															20	20	23	19	19	22	25	20	18	24	17	17	14	37	29	25	29	29	21	27	28	27	22	17	17	18			
5-25 "															8	8	12	13	8	8	10	9	9	6	5	10	5	16	16	20	13	12	13	13	9	12	18	6	11				
25-45 "															14	15	16	27	18	15	15	9	18	13	13	14	18	25	17	14	15	9	25	16	12	14	10	12	18	17			
45-65 "															17	24	20	20	30	19	25	27	22	21	9	13	13	25	19	23	17	22	22	22	32	14	15	19	20	19			
65 and upwards															39	40	31	34	41	27	34	29	36	43	32	32	39	32	26	24	29	32	24	38	34	28	30	28	29	16			
Deaths from:—															49	33	34	43	38	39	40	47	49	30	21	27	31	26	40	18	37	29	25	28	38	29	22	29	22	24			
Enteric Fever ..															..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	..	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..			
Typhus ..															..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
Small-pox ..															..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Measles ..															..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Scarlet Fever ..															..	..	..	..	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Whooping-cough ..															1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Diphtheria ..															2	1	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Dysentery ..															..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Influenza ..															6	2	3	5	3	1	1	4	2	2	1	1	1	3	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
{Pulmonary ..															18	23	23	22	23	16	15	13	18	13	11	13	13	17	17	18	10	15	30	11	11	11	17	20	26	15	16		
{Other Forms ..															3	7	6	7	11	5	7	9	5	3	4	5	5	7	7	7	1	4	6	2	2	2	3	5	4	5	4		
Cancer ..															4	7	7	17	9	7	5	9	8	8	5	4	3	3	4	4	7	9	10	5	12	8	10	6	11	11	8		
Diseases of Respi- ..															18	8	9	10	13	11	9	12	16	13	1	11	17	23	14	7	6	14	12	12	13	14	8	5	5	6	6		
ratory System ..															25	20	25	14	18	19	17	20	19	14	9	15	15	11	21	15	15	9	12	8	11	8	15	6	9	9	8		
{Pneumonia ..															3	2	4	5	4	4	6	4	2	4	..	3	2	3	3	3	3	1	3	6	..	3	2	1	2	3	3		
{Others ..															..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years ..															..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards ..															..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..		
Violent Deaths, ..															3	6	4	13	6	3	9	11	8	9	6	5	3	5	1	3	3	10	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	3	1	
Number of Uncertified Deaths ..															3	4	1	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	..	..	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	1		
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs. ..															50.3	52.0	52.4	52.4	54.1	51.1	52.0	58.1	55.1	59.4	60.5	62.1	60.2	48.9	52.1	52.7	45.8	54.4	51.8	50.5	51.9	56.4	59.5	59.0	62.9	58.6			
B Mean Minimum ..															35.5	36.5	40.2	38.1	37.6	33.9	34.0	36.0	37.3	43.2	40.5	41.1	40.1	36.6	38.6	41.6	41.2	41.0	40.5	33.8	41.4	41.3	46.5	42.5	46.4	42.5			
Mean of A and B ..															42.9	44.3	46.9	45.2	45.8	42.5	43.0	47.1	46.2	51.3	50.5	51.6	50.1	42.7	45.3	47.2	43.5	47.7	46.2	42.2	49.6	48.8	53.0	50.8	54.6	50.6			
Rainfall in inches ..															0.02	1.36	0.59	0.27	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.00	0.98	1.47	0.09	0.30	0.40	0.12	1.03	0.39	0.45	0.05	0.39	0.57	0.01	0.50	0.34	0.05	0.28	0.62			



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 4th June, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.			Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	AGES AT DEATH.												DEATHS FROM												Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
					Total Number of DEATHS.												Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM				Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 12 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																					
					All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Pneumonia.									Other.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																														
																										(1)		(2)							(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 16.1 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 1.0.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 4th June, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	6
"    "    1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	7
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Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Coolock and Drumecondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
South City No. 1, ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
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"    "    "    4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	4
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Total, ..	2	1	.	.	.	2	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	23	36

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 4th June, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 4th June.			
	May 14.	May 21.	May 28.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	1	2	2	3	.	.	5
Typhus, .. ..	3	2	.	1	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	15	7	11	.	2	.	9
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	81	82	75	7	10	.	72*
Diphtheria, .. ..	49	48	52	10	5	1	56
Pneumonia, .. ..	37	38	34	4	9	.	29

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The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·7 per 1,000. Among the 122 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 9 from whooping-cough, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years and one from influenza. Of the 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick one is from diphtheria, and 3 are from influenza. Of the 4 deaths from all causes for Drogheda one is from influenza and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years; and of the 5 deaths from all causes for Lisburn one is from scarlet fever.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 234—123 boys and 103 girls—and the deaths to 116—56 males and 60 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·8 and was 6·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-three weeks was 18·4, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 25·1.

Included in the 103 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from whooping-cough, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from whooping-cough were one, 0, and 0; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 0, 3, and 2 and deaths from influenza one, one, and 0.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (comprising 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis and one from abdominal tuberculosis, as against 15, 18, and 18 in the three weeks preceding.

Seventeen deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 4 by bronchitis.

Of 8 deaths by violence registered last week one was caused by accidental scalds, one by drowning, one by a vehicle, one by accidental gunshot wounds and 4 were by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to bronchitis, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to diarrhoea and enteritis and 3 to premature birth.

Fourteen of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 9 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 29 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 21 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 103 deaths recorded, 59 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV;*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 11th June, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9.1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10.1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 11th June. From this Report it appears that of 123 cases notified, 35 were diphtheria, 21 chicken-pox, 21 scarlet fever, 21 pulmonary tuberculosis, 11 other forms of tuberculosis, 6 erysipelas, 4 ophthalmia neonatorum, 2 acute primary pneumonia, one acute influenzal pneumonia, and one malaria. Among the 664 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 261 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 15 other forms of tuberculosis, 134 of scarlet fever, 122 of diphtheria, 45 of venereal disease, 35 of measles, 15 of whooping-cough, 6 of erysipelas, 5 of chicken-pox, 2 of acute influenzal pneumonia, one of puerperal fever, one of dysentery, and one of cerebro-spinal fever.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 11th June, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	1	.	—	2	.	.	5	.	.	—	4	18
	May 28	2	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	10	.	.	—	2	1	.	4	.	.	—	1	22
	June 4	4	1	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	23	36
	June 11	5	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	12	27
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	7
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	3
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	6
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	6
Blackrock Urban District	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	1
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	2
Kingstown Urban District	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	2
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	1
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	4
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	2
City of Belfast†	May 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	9	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	27	53
	May 28	3	.	.	.	.	—	14	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	22	45
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	21	35
	June 11	2	.	1	.	.	—	12	—	4	1	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	16	38
City of Cork	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	9
	May 28	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	9
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2 <sup>a</sup>
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	11 <sup>a</sup>
City of Londonderry	May 21	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	4
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	3
City of Limerick	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	5
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	1
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
City of Waterford	May 21	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	May 28	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

† In Belfast ophthalmia neonatorum has been made a notifiable disease as from 1st June, 1921.

<sup>a</sup> Not including one case of Varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 11th June, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 3 and 8; typhus nil and one; measles 5 and 6; scarlet fever 5 and 45,\* and diphtheria 10 and 54. Seven cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 28 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from diphtheria.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS AND DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 11th Jun., 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page of 1921. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.











TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 11th June, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death: also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

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TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 11th June, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3
"  "  1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3
"  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2
"  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
South City No. 1, ..	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	5
"  "  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
"  "  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	3	5
"  "  "  4, ..	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	5
New Kilmainham, ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total, ..	5	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	.	12	27

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 11th June, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 11th June.			
	May 21.*	May 28.	June 4.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	2	2	5	3	.	.	8
Typhus, ..	2	.	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	7	11	9	5	8	.	6
Scarlet Fever, ..	82	75	72	5	32	.	45*
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The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases. † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000. Among the 105 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 5 from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 2 of the 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick are from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 217—115 boys and 102 girls—and the deaths to 113—52 males and 61 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·6 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·6 and was 6·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-four weeks was 18·2, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·9.

Included in the 102 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, one from diphtheria, and one from influenza.

In the 3 preceding weeks, deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and 0 ; and deaths from influenza one, 0, and one. There were no deaths from enteric fever registered during the preceding three weeks.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from tuberculosis of the genito-urinary organs), as against 18, 18, and 18 in the three weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis.

Of 5 deaths by violence registered last week one was caused by accidental burns and 3 were by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to simple meningitis, 4 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 5 to premature birth and one to congenital debility.

Seventeen of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 12 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 31 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 25 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 102 deaths recorded, 47 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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City of Dublin	May 28	2						2		10				2	1		4				1	22
	June 4	1						2		3	1						4				23	36
	June 11	5								4							6				12	27
	June 18							3		1				1			4				14	23
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	May 28							1														1
	June 4																					
	June 11									1	1											2
	June 18									1							1					2
Pembroke Urban District	May 28							5		1	1											7
	June 4							2		1												3
	June 11							5				1										6
	June 18							2		1												3
Blackrock Urban District	May 28						1															1
	June 4																					
	June 11							2														2
	June 18																					
Kingstown Urban District	May 28									1												1
	June 4									3												4
	June 11							1		1											1	2
	June 18									1												1
City of Belfast†	May 28	3						14		3	1						2				22	45
	June 4							6		5	1						2				21	35
	June 11	2		1				12		4	1	1									16	38
	June 18	1						7		5	1						1				21	36a
City of Cork	May 28	1								7		1										9
	June 4									2												2b
	June 11									10		1										11b
	June 18							1		3	1											5
City of Londonderry	May 28																					
	June 4																					
	June 11							2		1												3
	June 18							1		1												2
City of Limerick	May 28									5												5
	June 4							1														1
	June 11									2												2
	June 18									1												1
City of Waterford	May 28																					
	June 4																					
	June 11																					
	June 18																					

a Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.

b Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 18th June, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever 2 and 7; typhus nil and one; measles one and 5; scarlet fever 7 and 41,\* and diphtheria 9 and 51. Four cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 19 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week one was from each of enteric fever and diphtheria, and 2 were from pneumonia.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.









registered in the TWENTY-FOURTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 18th June, 1921, with the average deaths from of the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.		Average number of deaths in 24th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 18th June, 1921.														Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)	
			All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
				0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.	65-75.		75 and upwards.
				Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	
Diseases of Stomach ...	2·2	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	3·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	2·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	
Cirrhosis of Liver ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Liver	·6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	1·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Acute Nephritis ...	·6	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Chronic Bright's Disease	3·6	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	3	
Urinary Calculi ...	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1·0	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	1·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Diseases of Locomotor System.	·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	
Congenital Malformations.	1·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Premature Birth ...	4·8	6	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	
Congenital Debility ...	2·8	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Old Age ...	5·8	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	4	
Other Specified Diseases	2·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
VIOLENCE.																		
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Conflagration ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Burns and Scalds ...	·6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Drowning ...	·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Suffocation in Bed ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Railways ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Vehicles and Horses ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ships, Boats, Docks ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Building Operations ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ...	1·0	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	
Other Violent Deaths ...	1·0	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Not included in above—																		
Homicide ...	·2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	3	
Suicide ...	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Execution ...	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ...	2·4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	





TABLE V.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS of Social Position in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 18th June, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 18TH JUNE, 1921																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
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The 3,138 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)										Population in each Class Group in 1911.										Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.										Total Number of Deaths.										Under 5 years.										5 and under 15.										15 and under 25.										25 and under 45.										45 and under 65.										65 and under 75.										75 and upwards.										Enteric Fever.										Typhus.										Small-pox.										Measles.										Scarlet Fever.										Whooping-cough.										Diphtheria.										Dysentery.										Influenza.										Pulmonary.										Other Forms.										Cancer.										Convulsions.										Pneumonia.										Other.										Diarrhoea & Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.										Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.										Violence.										Other Causes.										Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

		Dublin Registration Area													Belfast City.												
WEEK ENDING		Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	May. 28.	June 4.	June 11.	June 18.	Mar. 26.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	May. 28.	June 4.	June 11.	June 18.
No of weeks in Annual Series		12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Births registered		189	250	250	253	225	249	173	215	207	256	221	234	217	214	258	221	214	229	256	245	241	210	169	272	219	195
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years		221	206	210	216	214	200	212	232	224	209	238	212	214	217	211	201	209	219	221	205	210	229	214	219	219	212
Number of Deaths		136	156	154	130	149	141	152	137	97	113	120	103	102	124	140	130	130	144	133	125	121	112	111	104	122	105
Annual Death-rate per 1,000		16.8	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.4	17.4	18.7	16.9	12.0	13.9	14.8	12.7	12.6	15.4	17.4	16.1	16.1	17.9	16.5	15.5	15.0	13.9	13.8	12.9	15.1	13.0
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years		205	194	201	197	192	162	173	183	156	147	144	137	141	184	174	169	168	164	151	136	126	131	125	118	114	116
Ages		23	19	19	22	25	20	18	24	17	17	14	9	12	25	29	29	21	27	28	27	22	17	17	18	26	17
{ 1—5 years		12	13	8	8	10	9	9	6	5	10	5	5	5	20	13	12	13	13	9	12	18	6	6	11	6	10
{ 5—25 "		16	27	18	15	15	18	13	13	14	14	18	8	10	14	15	9	25	16	12	14	10	12	17	14	14	15
{ 25—45 "		20	20	30	19	25	27	22	21	13	13	20	14	23	17	19	22	22	22	15	19	20	19	18	16	15	15
{ 45—65 "		31	34	41	27	34	29	36	43	32	32	39	32	30	24	29	32	24	38	34	28	30	28	29	16	27	28
{ 65 and upwards		34	43	38	39	40	47	49	30	21	27	31	29	31	18	37	29	25	28	38	29	22	29	24	33	21	21
Deaths from:—																											
Enteric Fever		..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	1	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Typhus		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Small-pox		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Measles		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Scarlet Fever		..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Whooping-cough		..	..	..	..	..	..	1	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diphtheria		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Dysentery		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Influenza		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
{ Pulmonary		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
{ Other Forms		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Cancer		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diseases of Respi- (Pneumonia		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
ratory System {Others		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Violent Deaths,		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Number of Uncertified Deaths		..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.		52.4	54.1	54.1	51.1	52.0	58.1	55.1	59.4	60.5	62.1	60.2	63.0	68.0	52.7	45.8	54.4	51.8	50.5	57.9	56.4	59.5	59.0	62.9	58.6	64.4	65.1
B Mean Minimum		40.2	38.1	37.6	33.9	34.0	36.0	37.3	43.2	40.5	41.1	40.1	46.8	47.8	41.6	41.2	41.0	40.5	33.8	41.4	41.3	46.5	42.5	40.4	42.5	49.0	51.3
Mean of A and B		46.9	45.2	45.8	42.5	43.5	47.1	46.2	51.3	50.5	51.6	50.1	54.9	57.9	47.2	43.5	47.7	46.2	42.2	49.6	48.8	53.0	50.8	54.6	50.6	56.7	58.2
Rainfall in inches		0.59	0.27	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.00	0.98	1.47	0.09	0.30	0.40	0.15	0.02	0.39	0.45	0.05	0.39	0.57	0.01	0.50	0.34	0.05	0.28	0.62	0.11	0.02



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 18th June, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.					DEATHS FROM													Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.								
			All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.				DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.			
																				Pneumonia.	Other.												
																										Pulmonary.	Other Forms.						
CITY OF BELFAST.	Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	
Belfast Urban No. 1 District.	15,879	5			2																												
Do.	49,600	18	6.6		10																												
Do.	60,032	20	10.5		16																												
Do.	32,637	17	16.7	3.2	9																												
Do.	16,112	3	16.2		5																												
Do.	37,293	22	5.6		4																												
Do.	2,681	3	19.4		1																												
Do.	5,964	5	43.7		5																												
Do.	24,327	9	19.2		9																												
Do.	28,958	23	18.0	1.8	10																												
Do.	—	25	—	—	7																												
Do.	—	17	—	—	4																												
Do.	—	7	—	—	1																												
Do.	175	8	23.0	2.3	10																												
Do.	22,669	13	—	—	4																												
Total,	386,947	195	13.0	0.9	105	17	10	14	15	28	21							5				17	4	6	8	6	2		4	4	29	3	
CITY OF CORK																																	
Cork Urban No. 1 District.	13,455	4	11.6		3																												
Do.	10,399	1	15.0		3																												
Do.	9,793	2	10.6		2																												
Do.	9,139	3	5.7		1																												
Do.	6,250	4	9.0		2																												
Do.	11,581	5	9.7		3																												
Do.	16,056	7	9.5		14																												
Total,	76,673	26	9.5																														

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 18th June, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
"    "    1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
"    "    2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2
"    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	3
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	2
"    "    " 2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3
"    "    " 3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	6
"    "    " 4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	3
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Total, ..	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	.	.	14	23

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 18th June, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 18th June:			
	May 28.	June 4.	June 11.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	2	5	8	2	2	1	7
Typhus, .. ..	.	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	11	9	6	1	2	.	5
Scarlet Fever,.. ..	75	72	45	7	11	.	41*
Diphtheria, .. ..	52	56	54	9	11	1	51
Pneumonia, .. ..	34	29	28	4	11	2	19

\* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 12·3 and 12·9; Dublin Registration Area, 14·1 and 13·5; Dublin City, 14·2 and 12·8; Belfast, 11·9 and 13·2; Cork, 12·9 and 11·9; Londonderry, 10·4 and 9·0; Limerick, 2·7 and 12·2, and Waterford, 17·1 and 16·1.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·5 per 1,000. Among the 96 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one of the 4 deaths from all causes for Galway is from typhus.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 285—143 boys and 142 girls—and the deaths to 133—71 males and 62 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 19) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·5 and was 6·5 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-five weeks was 18·2, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·6.

Included in the 114 deaths appertaining to the Area are 3 from diarrhoea, the deaths from which in the 3 preceding weeks numbered 2, one, and 0.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 18, 18, and 12 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, 9 by bronchitis, and 3 by meningitis.

Of 14 deaths by violence registered last week 3 were caused by gunshot wounds returned as accidental, and 9 were by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to meningitis, one to convulsions, one to pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth and 5 to congenital debility.

Twenty of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 15 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 25 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 114 deaths recorded, 54 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 25th June, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·7 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 25th June. From this Report it appears that of 109 cases notified, 27 were scarlet fever, 24 chicken-pox, 11 pulmonary tuberculosis, 18 other forms of tuberculosis, 1 diphtheria, 9 erysipelas, 4 acute primary pneumonia, and 3 malaria. Among the 647 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 266 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 13 of other forms of tuberculosis, 141 of scarlet fever, 115 of diphtheria, 40 of venereal disease, 21 of measles, 19 of whooping-cough, 7 of erysipelas, 5 of chicken-pox, and one of cerebro-spinal fever.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 25th June, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 4	4	2	1	.	.	—	2	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	23	36
	June 11	5	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	12	27
	June 18	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	1	.	.	4	.	.	—	14	23
	June 25	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	15	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	2
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Pembroke Urban District	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	4
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast†	June 4	.	.	1	.	.	—	6	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	21	35
	June 11	2	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	4	1	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	16	38
	June 18	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	21	36 <sup>a</sup>
	June 25	.	.	1	.	.	—	5	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	13	.	.	1	.	28
City of Cork	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	2 <sup>b</sup>
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11 <sup>b</sup>
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6 <sup>b</sup>
City of Londonderry	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Limerick	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Waterford	June 4	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

a Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum. b Not including one case of variola.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 25th June, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows :—Enteric fever 2 and 8 ; typhus nil and one ; measles 3 and 5 ; scarlet fever 6 and 40,\* and diphtheria one and 37. Six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 18 remained under treatment at its close.

\* See note (\*) at foot of Table IX.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 25th June, 1921, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 25TH JUNE, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
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Total (a)			Per-sona to an Acre.			From all Causes.			From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)			TOTAL NUMBER.			Under 1 year of Age.			At 65 years and upwards.			Enteric Fever.			Typhus.			Small-pox.			Measles.			Scarlet Fever.			Whooping-cough.			Diphtheria.			Dysentery.			Influenza.			Pulmonary.			Other Forms.			Cancer.			Diseases of the Respiratory System.			Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.			Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.			Violence.			Inquest Cases.			No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.			Number of Uncertified Deaths.			Absolute Highest.			Absolute Lowest.			Mean Maximum (A).			Mean Minimum (B).			Mean of (A) and (B).			Rainfall in Inches.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.





registered in the TWENTY-FIFTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 25th June, 1921, with the average deaths from the Five Years, 1916-20.

		Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 25th June, 1921.																	Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)			
CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 25th Week of the 5 years, 1916-20.	All Ages.	Age at Death.																			
			0-5.				Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.	5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.		65-75.	75 and upwards.	
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	1.2	1.2	.	12.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12.
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Erysipelas 2 years and upwards.	1.6	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Appendicitis and Typhilitis.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	1.4	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Cirrhosis of Liver.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver.	1.6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2
Perniosis (cause unknown).	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis.	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1
Chronic Bright's Disease.	5.0	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	1	.	.	5
Urinary Calculi.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	1.6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	1.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	1.8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Diseases of Locomotor System.	1.2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Congenital Malformations.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Premature Birth.	4.8	5	5	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4
Congenital Debility.	1.4	5	5	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Old Age.	3.8	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	6
Other Specified Diseases.	1.4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
VIOLENCE.																						
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration.	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds.	1.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Drowning.	1.2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Submersion in Bed.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Tramcars and Horses.	1.0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ships, Boats, Docks.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Guns and Wounds, &c.	1.2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	2
Other Violent Deaths.	1.6	5	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13
Not included in above—																						
Homicide.	1.2	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	9
Suicide.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Un-defined, &c., Causes.	1.4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1

TABLE IV.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 25th JUNE, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.			ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																												In INSTITUTIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
ESTI-MATED POPU-LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	FROM CER-TAIN ALL CAUSES		FROM CER-TAIN EPI-DEMIC DISEASES*		(4)	(3)	(2)	(1)	Cols.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber-culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res-piratory System.		Diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.		In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
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TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

Dublin Registration Area.															Belfast City.											
WEEK ENDING	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	May. 28.	June 4.	June 11.	June 18.	June 25.	Apr. 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	May. 28.	June 4.	June 11.	June 18.	June 25.
No. of weeks in Annual Series	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Births registered	250	250	253	225	249	173	215	207	256	221	234	217	285	258	221	214	229	256	245	241	210	169	272	219	195	197
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	206	210	216	214	200	212	232	224	209	238	212	214	215	211	201	209	219	221	205	210	229	214	219	219	212	202
Number of Deaths	156	154	130	149	141	152	137	97	113	120	103	102	114	140	139	130	144	133	125	121	112	111	104	122	105	96
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	19.2	19.0	16.0	18.4	17.4	18.7	16.9	12.0	13.9	14.8	12.7	12.6	14.1	17.4	16.1	16.1	17.9	16.5	15.5	15.0	13.9	13.8	12.9	15.1	13.0	11.9
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	194	201	197	192	162	173	183	156	147	144	137	141	125	174	169	168	164	151	136	126	131	125	118	114	116	113
Ages	19	19	22	25	20	18	24	17	17	14	9	12	15	29	29	21	27	28	27	22	17	17	18	26	17	13
Under one year	13	8	8	10	9	9	6	5	10	5	5	5	5	13	12	13	13	9	12	18	6	6	11	6	10	11
1-5 years	27	18	15	15	9	18	13	14	13	18	8	10	19	15	9	25	16	12	14	10	12	18	17	14	14	9
5-25	20	30	27	25	27	22	21	13	13	13	20	14	14	19	19	22	22	12	15	19	20	19	18	16	15	18
25-45	34	41	27	34	29	36	43	32	32	39	32	30	36	29	32	24	38	34	28	30	28	29	16	27	28	18
45-65	43	38	39	40	47	49	30	21	27	31	29	31	25	37	29	25	28	38	29	22	29	22	24	33	21	27
65 and upwards																										
Deaths from:—																										
Enteric Fever	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Typhus	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Small-pox	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Measles	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Scarlet Fever	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Whooping-cough	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diphtheria	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dysentery	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Influenza	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tuberculosis	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Cancer	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diseases of Respi- ratory System	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Violent Deaths,	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Number of Uncertified Deaths	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	52.4	51.1	51.1	52.0	58.1	55.1	59.4	60.5	62.1	60.2	63.0	68.0	67.7	45.8	54.4	51.8	50.5	57.9	56.4	59.5	59.0	62.9	58.6	64.4	65.1	64.3
B Mean Minimum	38.1	37.6	33.9	34.0	36.0	37.3	43.2	40.5	41.1	40.1	46.8	47.8	50.8	41.2	41.0	40.5	33.8	41.4	41.3	42.5	42.5	46.4	42.5	49.0	51.3	51.7
Mean of A and B	45.2	45.8	42.5	43.0	47.1	46.2	51.3	50.5	51.6	50.1	54.9	57.9	59.3	43.5	47.7	46.2	42.2	49.6	48.8	53.0	50.8	54.6	50.5	56.7	58.2	58.0
Rainfall in inches	0.27	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.00	0.98	1.17	0.09	0.30	0.40	0.15	0.02	0.00	0.45	0.05	0.39	0.57	0.01	0.50	0.34	0.05	0.28	0.62	0.11	0.02	0.03



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 25th June, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM										No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.								
				Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		Total Number of DEATHS.		Under 1 year.						Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.			Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	
				All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)										(13)				(14)	(15)					(16)

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| BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT. | | 15,879 | 9 | 13.1 | — | 4 | 13 | 11 | 9 | 18 | 18 | 27 | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — | — |

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 9.3 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 0.0.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 25th June, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3
"    "    1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	4
"    "    2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4
"    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
"    "    2, ..	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	4
"    "    3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	2	6
"    "    4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	4
New Kilmainham, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total, ..	1	.	.	.	.	2	4	.	2	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	15	28

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 25th June, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 25th June:			
	June 4.	June 11.	June 18.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	5	8	7	2	1	.	8
Typhus, .. ..	1	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	9	6	5	3	3	.	5
Scarlet Fever,.. ..	72	45	41	6	7	.	40*
Diphtheria, .. ..	56	54	51	1	15	.	37
Pneumonia, .. ..	29	28	19	6	7	.	18

\* Exclusive of 3 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table II. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 12·9 and 12·6 ; Dublin Registration Area, 12·7 and 13·0 ; Dublin City, 13·5 and 12·8 ; Belfast, 13·3 and 13·4 ; Cork, 17·7 and 13·6 ; Londonderry, 8·1 and 9·3 ; Limerick, 8·1 and 10·5, and Waterford, 11·4 and 15·2.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·7 per 1,000. Among the 107 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from whooping-cough, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. Of the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork there is one from typhus and 2 from diphtheria, and included in the 6 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 199—93 boys and 106 girls—and the deaths to 111—54 males and 57 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·4 and was 6·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-six weeks was 18·0, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·3.

Included in the 103 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria numbered 0, one, and 0 ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years one, 0, and 2 ; and deaths from influenza one, one, and 0. There were no deaths from scarlet fever registered in the 3 preceding weeks.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from abdominal tuberculous, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 18, 12, and 16 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 10 by organic diseases of the heart, 3 by bronchitis, and 3 by meningitis.

Of 4 deaths by violence registered last week 2 were caused by gunshot wounds returned as accidental, and one was by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to influenza, 2 to venereal disease, 5 to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-four of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 11 were under one month old, and 26 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 15 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 103 deaths recorded, 41 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

*Details regarding deaths by diseases and ages in the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts will be found in Tables III. and IV.*

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 2nd July, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9.0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9.3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 11.2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11.7 and for Edinburgh 12.3.

## INFECTIOUS DISEASES IN EDINBURGH.

The Registrar-General has been favoured by A. Maxwell Williamson, M.D., B.Sc., Medical Officer of Health for Edinburgh, with a copy of his Return of Infectious Diseases notified during the week ended 2nd July. From this Report it appears that of 109 cases notified, 24 were diphtheria, 23 scarlet fever, 19 pulmonary tuberculosis, 16 other forms of tuberculosis, 18 chicken-pox, 5 acute primary pneumonia, 2 erysipelas, one puerperal fever and one malaria. Among the 631 cases of infectious diseases in hospital at the close of the week were 266 of pulmonary tuberculosis, 16 of other forms of tuberculosis, 135 of scarlet fever, 111 of diphtheria, 42 of venereal disease, 22 of measles, 16 of whooping-cough, 8 of erysipelas, 4 of chicken-pox, and one of cerebro-spinal fever.

TABLE I.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 2nd July, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 11	5	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	12	27
	June 18	15	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	14	23
	June 25	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	15	28
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	17	24
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	6
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	6
City of Belfast†	June 11	2	.	1	.	.	—	12	—	4	1	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	16	38
	June 18	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	21	36 <sup>a</sup>	
	June 25	.	.	1	.	.	—	5	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	13	.	.	1	28	28
	July 2	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	11	21
City of Cork	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11 <sup>b</sup>
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6 <sup>b</sup>
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
City of Londonderry	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	2
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
City of Limerick	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	June 11	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.

<sup>b</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

## CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES UNDER TREATMENT IN DUBLIN HOSPITALS.

Table IX. exhibits the number of cases of certain infectious diseases treated in the Dublin Hospitals during the week ended 2nd July, 1921, and the number under treatment at the close of each of the 3 preceding weeks.

From this it appears that the cases admitted to hospital during the week and the cases under treatment at its close, respectively, were as follows:—Enteric fever nil and 5; typhus nil and one; measles nil and 2; scarlet fever 10 and 30, and diphtheria 9 and 40. Six cases of pneumonia were admitted during the week and 17 remained under treatment at its close. Of the deaths in hospital during the week, one was from scarlet fever and one was from diphtheria.



**TABLE II.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 2nd July, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page of 1921.

(c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.





registered in the TWENTY-SIXTH WEEK, ending Saturday, 2nd July, 1921, with the average deaths from the Five Years, 1916-20.

CAUSES OF DEATH.	Average number of deaths in 26th Week of the 5 years, 1916-1920.	Deaths registered during week ending Saturday, 2nd July, 1921.													Deaths of Residents of Dublin Registration Area (included in the foregoing)		
		All Ages.	Ages at Death.														
			0-5.				5-10.	10-15.	15-20.	20-25.	25-35.	35-45.	45-55.	55-65.		65-75.	75 and upwards.
			Under 1 month	1 month and under 1 year	1-2.	2-5.											
Diseases of the Pharynx, Tonsillitis.	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Stomach ..	1·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	1·8	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Enteritis 2 years and upwards.	1·0	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Appendicitis and Typhlitis.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Hernia and Intestinal Obstructions.	2·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Cirrhosis of Liver ..	·8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Liver	·6	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Peritonitis (cause unknown).	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Digestive System.	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Acute Nephritis ..	·8	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	2
Chronic Bright's Disease	4·0	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	5
Urinary Calculi ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Uterine Tumour (non-cancerous).	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ovarian Tumour (non-cancerous).	·4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other Diseases of Genito-urinary System.	·8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Puerperal Septicæmia, &c.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Other causes incident to Pregnancy and Child-birth.	·6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Skin and Cellular Tissues.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Diseases of Locomotor System.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Congenital Malformations.	·2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Premature Birth ..	2·6	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Congenital Debility ..	3·8	3	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3
Old Age ..	3·8	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	5
Other Specified Diseases	1·6	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4
VIOLENCE.																	
Poisons or Poisonous Vapours.	·2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Conflagration ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Burns and Scalds ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Drowning ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Suffocation in Bed ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Railways ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Vehicles and Horses ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ships, Boats, Docks ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Building Operations ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Gunshot Wounds, &c. ..	·4	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Other Violent Deaths ..	·2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Not included in above—																	
Homicide ..	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1
Suicide ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Execution ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Ill-defined, &c., Causes ..	1·2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1





**TABLE V.**—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPE the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the WEEK ENDING Saturday, 2nd July, 1921; the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered; the Number of Deaths at each of Seven Periods of Life, and the Number from some of the Principal Causes of Death; also the Number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 2ND JULY, 1921																																				
CAUSES OF DEATH.																																				
Class.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	COLS.	Popula- tion in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.	Ages.						CAUSES OF DEATH.												Number of Un- certified Deaths.												
						Under 5 years.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and under 75.	75 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza	Tuberculosis			Cancer.	Convulsions.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea & En- teritis of chil- dren under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and up- wards.	Violence.	Other Causes.				
																						Pulmonary.	Other Forms.				Pneumonia.	Other.								
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)				
	ALL PERSONS.		397,957	—	111	34	8	9	13	21	14	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	15	5	11	9	4	6	3	.	5	53	1				
I.	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—																																			
II.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.		14,658	14.2	4	3	2	2	1	1	7	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	3	1	.	2	.	.	.	4	1				
III.	MIDDLE CLASS		101,798	11.8	23	7	2	1	3	5	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	5	2	4	.	2	3	8	.				
IV.	ARTISAN CLASSES AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS,		108,420	11.1	23	7	2	1	3	5	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	5	2	4	.	2	3	23	.				
V.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS		167,479	15.6	50	20	4	6	7	7	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	3	3	.	1	.	1	.	.	6	.				
	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES, ..		5,602	—	11	4	.	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.				
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.																																			
	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public De- partments		7,868	—	4	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.			
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class		1,347	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described		5,443	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
II.	MIDDLE CLASS.																																			
	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Ser- vice, Banking, &c.		9,523	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c.		25,199	—	3	1	1	2	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	2	.	1	.	.	.	2	4	.			
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants		33,249	—	10	1	1	2	.	2	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.			
	7. Miscellaneous—including all House- holders in Second Class Localities not included in above		33,827	—	10	2	1	.	1	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	6	1	.			
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS.																																			
	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Prin- ters, Watchmakers, and Jewellers		11,777	—	1	1	2	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.			
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades		28,823	—	7	2	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.			
	10. Clothing Trades		20,026	—	3	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.			
	11. Food Supply Trades		8,952	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades		32,070	—	9	2	.	.	.	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
	13. Petty Shopkeepers		6,772	—	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.																																			
	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, &c.		12,977	—	10	3	1	2	4	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	.			
	15. Domestic Servants		36,041	—	4	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.			
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vainmen, &c.		16,380	—	2	1	.	3	.	.	7	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.			
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c.		103,081	—	34	15	.	3	2	7	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	15	.		
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.																																			
	18. Workhouse inmates		5,602	—	11	4	.	.	1	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	.		

TABLE VI.—Dublin Registration Area and Belfast City—Comparative Table of Results in each of the last thirteen weeks, with the average Births and Deaths in corresponding week of the previous ten years (exclusive of Deaths in Institutions of persons admitted from without the respective areas).

		Dublin Registration Area.													Belfast City.												
WEEK ENDING		Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	May. 28.	June 4.	June 11.	June 18.	June 25.	July 2.	Apr. 9.	Apr. 16.	Apr. 23.	Apr. 30.	May. 7.	May. 14.	May. 21.	May. 28.	June 4.	June 11.	June 18.	June 25.	July 2.
No. of weeks in Annual Series	..	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Births registered	..	250	253	225	249	173	215	207	256	221	234	217	285	199	221	214	229	256	245	241	210	169	272	219	195	197	257
Average Births in corresponding week of previous 10 years	..	210	216	214	300	212	232	224	309	238	212	214	215	217	201	209	219	221	205	210	229	214	219	212	202	215	
Number of Deaths	..	154	130	149	141	152	137	97	113	120	103	102	114	103	139	130	144	133	125	121	112	111	104	122	105	96	107
Annual Death-rate per 1,000	..	19.0	16.0	18.4	17.4	18.7	16.9	12.0	13.9	14.8	12.7	12.6	14.1	12.7	16.1	16.1	17.9	16.5	15.5	15.0	13.9	13.8	12.9	15.1	13.0	11.9	13.3
Average Deaths in corresponding week of previous 10 years	..	201	197	192	162	173	183	156	147	144	137	141	125	122	169	168	164	151	136	136	131	125	118	114	116	113	131
Under one year	..	19	22	25	20	18	24	17	17	14	9	12	15	21	29	21	27	28	27	22	17	17	18	26	17	13	22
1—5 years	..	8	8	10	9	9	6	5	10	5	5	5	5	13	12	13	13	9	12	18	6	6	11	6	10	11	5
5—25	..	18	15	15	9	18	13	13	14	18	8	10	19	15	19	25	16	12	14	10	12	18	17	14	9	18	18
25—45	..	30	19	25	27	22	21	13	13	20	14	14	10	19	19	22	22	12	15	19	20	19	18	16	15	18	26
45—65	..	41	27	34	29	36	43	32	32	39	32	30	36	18	32	24	38	34	28	30	28	29	16	27	28	18	19
65 and upwards	..	38	39	40	47	49	30	21	27	31	29	31	25	26	29	25	28	38	29	22	29	22	24	33	21	27	17
Deaths from:—																											
Enteric Fever	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Typhus	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Small-pox	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Measles	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Scarlet Fever	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Whooping-cough	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Diphtheria	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Dysentery	..	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Influenza	..	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Tuberculosis	..	23	16	15	13	18	13	11	13	13	15	10	13	15	15	30	11	11	17	20	26	15	16	17	17	16	12
Cancer	..	11	5	7	4	5	3	4	5	3	3	2	3	4	6	2	6	4	4	3	5	4	5	2	4	3	4
Diseases of Respiratory System	..	9	7	5	9	8	8	5	4	3	17	10	8	9	10	5	12	8	10	11	11	8	7	6	10	8	7
Diarrhoea & Enteritis, under 2 years	..	18	19	17	20	19	13	1	11	17	4	8	4	4	14	12	14	13	14	8	5	9	8	9	8	7	4
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards	..	4	4	6	4	4	9	15	15	12	1	13	11	6	9	12	8	11	8	15	6	6	6	6	5	4	4
Violent Deaths,	..	6	3	9	11	8	9	6	3	3	8	5	1	4	2	1	6	3	3	1	2	3	1	2	2	2	2
Number of Uncertified Deaths	..	2	3	3	3	3	3	.	2	1	.	2	14	1	1	1	2	2	4	2	2	1	3	4	3	3	11
A Mean Maximum Temperature in degs.	..	54.1	51.1	52.0	58.1	55.1	59.4	60.5	62.1	60.2	63.0	68.0	67.7	67.1	54.4	51.8	50.5	57.9	56.4	59.5	59.0	62.9	58.6	64.4	65.1	64.3	68.5
B Mean Minimum	..	37.6	33.9	34.0	36.0	37.3	43.2	40.5	41.1	40.1	46.8	47.8	50.8	43.8	41.0	40.5	33.8	41.4	41.3	46.5	43.5	46.4	42.5	49.0	51.3	51.7	48.9
Mean of A and B	..	45.8	42.5	43.0	47.1	46.2	51.3	50.5	51.6	50.1	54.9	57.9	59.3	55.5	47.7	46.2	42.2	49.6	48.8	53.0	50.8	54.6	50.6	56.7	58.2	58.0	58.7
Rainfall in inches	..	0.02	0.43	0.42	0.00	0.98	1.47	0.09	0.30	0.40	0.15	0.02	0.00	0.08	0.05	0.39	0.57	0.01	0.50	0.34	0.05	0.28	0.62	0.11	0.02	0.03	0.00



TABLE VII.—Showing, by REGISTERS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 2nd July, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons *admitted from without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERSONS: the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 11·9 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 0·5.

TABLE VIII.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES, notified to the Public Health Committee of the Corporation of the City of Dublin, for the week ending 2nd July, 1921.

DISTRICTS.	Enteric or Typhoid Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Scarlet Fever.	Diphtheria.	Membranous Croup.	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
North City No. 1, East, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	4
"  "  1, West, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	5	6
"  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
"  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Clontarf and Howth No. 1 (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Coolock and Drumcondra (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
Finglas and Glasnevin (part of)	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
South City No. 1, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1
"  "  "  2, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3
"  "  "  3, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	6
"  "  "  4, ..	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2
New Kilmainham, ...	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—
Total, ..	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	17	24

TABLE IX.—The NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 2nd July, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 2nd July.			
	June 11.	June 18.	June 25.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, ..	8	7	8	.	3	.	5
Typhus, ..	1	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ..	6	5	5	.	3	.	2
Scarlet Fever, ..	45	41	40	10	19	1	30
Diphtheria, ..	54	51	37	9	5	1	40
Pneumonia, ..	28	19	18	6	7	.	17



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OF  
**BIRTHS AND DEATHS**  
IN THE  
**DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,**  
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DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—BIRTHS.—In the Dublin Registration Area, which consists of the city of Dublin and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 2nd July, 1921, 2,984 births—1,528 boys and 1,456 girls—being equal to an annual rate of 28·2 in every 1,000 of the population.

The number of births recorded for the city was 2,509, equivalent to an annual rate of 31·0 in every 1,000 of the population ; and for the urban districts named above, 475, equal to an annual rate of 19·2 in every 1,000 of the population.

During the same period the births in London were equivalent to an annual rate of 23·3 per 1,000 of the population ; in Glasgow the birth-rate was 29·7 per 1,000, and in Edinburgh 23·0 per 1,000.

DEATHS.—Omitting the deaths (167) referred to localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, the deaths for the Area, numbering 1,615, were equivalent to an annual rate of 15·3 per 1,000 of the estimated population, the average rate for the corresponding period of the previous 10 years being 20·6. The total number of deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter was 1,782—907 males and 875 females—affording an annual ratio of 16·9 in every 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with 22·2 per 1,000 for the second quarter of the ten years, 1911–1920.

The number of deaths of inhabitants\* of the North City districts registered last quarter was 658, representing an annual mortality of 15·5 in every 1,000 of the population ; and the number in the South City districts was 602, equivalent to a rate of 15·6 per 1,000. For the urban districts the number of deaths registered was 355, being equal to an annual death-rate of 14·3 in every 1,000.

\* The death-rates referring to the several Dublin districts have been calculated on the mortality for the respective districts as corrected by the distribution of deaths in public institutions according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted.

The deaths among civilians in London during the same period were equivalent to an annual rate of mortality of 10.9 in every 1,000 of the civil population; in Glasgow the death-rate was 13.8 per 1,000 of the total population, and in Edinburgh the annual rate was 13.2 per 1,000.

In 25 instances the cause of death was uncertified, there having being no medical attendant during the last illness. Of the 25 cases, 11 (or 44.0 per cent.) were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 115 infants under one month old registered, there were 8 (or 7.0 per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

From Table II., page 130d, it will be seen that the annual rate represented by the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases\* in the Dublin Registration Area was 0.6 per 1,000, that in the City it was 0.6, and in the urban districts 0.5, the rates for the several districts varying from 0.0 in Clontarf and Howth No. 1, part of, to 1.0 in North City, No. 1.E, the 153 deaths from all causes for that district, including one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria and six from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

OCCUPATIONS.—In Table IV., page 130f, it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to an annual rate of 18.0 per 1,000 of the persons in that class according to the Census of 1911; the rate for the "Middle Class" was 15.9 per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was 13.8; and in the "General Service Class" it was 16.5.

AGES.—Of the 1,782 persons whose deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter, 350 were under five years of age, including 249 infants under one year of age, the latter representing a rate of 83 per 1,000 births registered. The number of deaths of children under 5 years of age is equal to an annual mortality of 34.2 in every 1,000 children at that age (according to the Census of 1911), the deaths of persons between the ages of 5 and 15 representing an annual rate of 4.1 per 1,000 persons at that age period; those between the ages of 15 and 25 were equivalent to an annual rate of 7.5 per 1,000, the total number under 25 years being equal to an annual mortality of 11.9 per 1,000 of the population at that age period (according to the Census of 1911); for those between 25 and 45 the rate was 9.3; for those between 45 and 65 it was 31.4; among persons between 65 and 75 the rate was 56.6, and among those aged 75 and upwards the average annual death rate was 156.7 per 1,000. The deaths of 10 persons (one male and 9 females) aged 90 years and upwards were registered.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.—Of the 1,782 deaths recorded during the quarter, 888 or 49.8 per cent. occurred in public institutions, viz., 641 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums; 239 in the Dublin Union Workhouse; and 8 (those of persons admitted from within the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

WEATHER.—The mean temperature for thirteen weeks, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park was 50.4°. At Greenwich it was 55.6°; at Glasgow, 51.5°; and at Edinburgh, 50.4°.

The rainfall at Dublin during the thirteen weeks measured 4.36 inches; at Greenwich it was 2.93 inches; at Glasgow, 3.23 inches; and at Edinburgh, 2.47 inches.

#### NINETEEN PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS OF IRELAND.

As shown in Table I., the annual death-rate represented by the deaths from all causes registered during last quarter in the Dublin Registration Area and eighteen of the principal urban districts of Ireland (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from without the districts), was 14.9 per 1,000 of the population, the respective rates for the several districts being as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest:—Dundalk, 10.4; Lurgan, 11.2; Lisburn, 11.3; Londonderry, 13.2; Tralee, 13.3; Clonmel, 13.7; Waterford, 14.1; Wexford, 14.2; Belfast, 14.7; Kilkenny, 14.8; Newry, 15.0; Cork, 15.2; Dublin Registration Area, 15.3; Ballymena, 15.5; Limerick, 16.1; Portadown, 16.4; Sligo, 17.2; Drogheda, 17.3; and Galway, 20.2.

The annual rate represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases\* in the 19 districts is 0.9 per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from 0.0 in five of the districts to 2.1 in Wexford, the 41 deaths from all causes for that district, including 4 from scarlet fever and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 1,540 deaths from all causes for Belfast include 2 from enteric fever, 8 from measles, 4 from scarlet fever, 86 from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, 34 from diarrhoeal diseases, and 10 from influenza.

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS.—The annual death-rate from pulmonary tuberculosis for the 19 towns in the aggregate was 1.84 per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the Dublin Registration Area it was 1.78 per 1,000; for Belfast county borough 2.12 per 1,000, and for the urban districts collectively (not including Dublin Registration Area and Belfast) it was 1.56.

\* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS Registered during the **Quarter** (13 weeks) **ended Saturday, 2nd July, 1921**, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the undermentioned Eighteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other districts), the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

REGISTRATION—QUARTER (13 WEEKS) ENDED SATURDAY, 2ND JULY, 1921.																														
NUMBERS REGISTERED.																														
DEATHS.																														
TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	POPULATION.	Annual Rate per 1,000 persons Represented by	DEATHS.		BIRTHS.	Caused by															No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	No. of Uncertified Deaths.								
			From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases.†		BIRTHS	Per- sons to an Acre.	Total.*	Total NUMBER.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 Years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.			Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.
																							Pneumonia.	Other.						
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS	1,183,368	20.7	27.3	14.9	0.9	8,081	4,407	646	1,203	9	2	.	9	13	95	42	3	48	544	157	286	306	391	78	9	208	200	1,472	131	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA	423,000	30.3	28.2	15.3	0.6	2,984	1,615	233	433	3	.	.	.	3	4	10	3	18	188	61	102	123	180	35	1	91	77	721	25	
CITY OF DUBLIN:	324,000	39.7	31.0	15.6	0.6	2,500	1,260	199	288	2	1	.	.	2	3	8	2	8	165	52	75	95	142	29	1	80	68	600	21	
RAHIMES AND RATHGAR	41,100	24.0	17.4	12.6	0.4	179	129	8	55	.	.	.	1	1	3	1	.	3	8	4	13	4	15	4	1	5	4	46	4	
PENROSE	30,800	19.8	19.7	15.5	0.8	152	119	16	42	1	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	2	9	3	9	15	12	3	.	4	4	45	2	
BLACKROCK	9,800	9.0	13.1	18.4	0.8	32	45	3	19	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	2	1	2	6	6	1	.	1	1	13	2	
KINGSTOWN	17,300	11.8	25.9	14.3	0.2	112	62	7	29	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	4	1	3	3	5	.	.	1	1	17	.	
BELFAST	420,000	28.1	27.9	14.7	1.3	2,925	1,540.2	284	344	1	.	.	4	86	5	.	.	10	223	50	112	128	105	30	1	43	53	360	19	
CORK	76,673	28.6	26.2	15.2	1.0	501	291	26	78	1	1	.	.	15	.	.	.	6	16	11	17	13	9	2	1	30	33	132	17	
LONDONERRY	45,000	17.4	28.4	13.2	0.7	320	149	15	50	.	.	.	.	11	.	.	.	1	20	6	5	7	21	3	1	7	5	64	3	
LIMERICK	38,518	16.1	23.4	13.1	1.2	225	155	22	42	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	11	5	4	7	7	3	1	2	2	3	25	
WATERFORD	27,664	19.1	21.6	14.1	0.7	148	97	12	47	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	11	2	8	3	1	1	.	1	2	3	4	
GALWAY	13,955	9.5	30.8	20.2	1.2	102	67	8	21	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	2	3	1	1	.	1	1	4	4	
DUNDALK	13,198	9.5	23.5	10.4	0.6	77	34	4	8	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	1	4	2	1	1	1	1	1	3	4
LURCAN	12,563	14.7	34.4	11.3	0.6	108	35	3	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	2	2	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	3	3
DROGHEDA	12,561	8.4	19.5	17.3	0.6	61	54	5	21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	7	2	4	4	5	3	1	1	1	1	6	2
LISBURN	10,9	10.9	25.8	11.3	1.3	80	35	5	9	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	3	3	5	2	1	1	1	1	2	2
NEWRY	11,363	15.3	24.7	15.0	0.7	74	45	4	20	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	2	4	2	6	4	4	2	2	2	2	3	7	3
FORTADOWN	11,727	29.8	27.7	14.2	0.7	80	41	3	17	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	1	1	6	3
WEXFORD	11,551	29.8	34.8	15.5	0.7	99	44	4	18	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	3	3	3	6	6	8	5	5	5	7	3	3
BALLYMENA	11,381	8.3	34.8	17.3	0.4	47	48	4	23	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	5	4	3	3	4	4	4	1	5	1	13	10
SLIGO	11,163	17.4	23.1	14.3	0.8	66	39	3	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	5	3	2	2	2	.	.	.	5	3	2
KILKENNY	10,514	17.4	16.3	13.3	0.8	43	35	1	12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	3	3	3	4	4	1	1	7	12	13	2
TRALEE	10,300	17.4	15.3	13.7	0.8	59	35	2	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	4	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	5	12	2
CLONMEL	10,209	7.8	23.1	13.7	0.8	59	35	2	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	5	4	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	5	12	2

According to the Census of 1911 but in the cases of the Districts comprising the Dublin Registration Area and for the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the Population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921.

† See note (\*) on page 130b.

(4) Including one death from cerebro-spinal fever.

TABLE II.—Showing for the Quarter (13 weeks) ended 2nd July, 1921, the number of Deaths of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases \*; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths; the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION TO MIDDLE OF 1921.	REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, QUARTER (13 WEEKS) ENDED SATURDAY, 2ND JULY, 1921.													DEATHS FROM										In In- stitutions.			Number of Uncertified Deaths.						
			AGES AT DEATH.													DEATHS FROM																			
			Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living re- presented by Deaths.	From All Causes.	From certain Epi- demic Dis- eases.*	Total Deaths	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enter- itis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other causes.	Inquest cases.	Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.	Workhouse Hospitals.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
<b>North City.</b>																																			
NORTH CITY, No. 1 E.	31,300	19.6	1.0	153	25	7	3	6	12	27	46	27	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	17	12	7	12	12	6	15	68	13	40	16	2		
" " 1 W.	42,900	17.0	0.2	182	38	8	5	11	14	22	41	45	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	7	13	10	23	1	6	98	6	63	32	16	3	
" " 2	28,700	17.1	0.3	123	17	6	5	5	7	20	35	28	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	4	8	13	17	2	5	53	4	51	19	2	2	
" " 3	35,600	11.9	0.5	106	15	3	3	1	10	14	31	29	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	15	4	7	7	13	2	7	49	6	29	12	2	2	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1,	5,700	17.5	.	25	4	.	.	.	5	5	7	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	3	1	1	.	3	13	2	9	2	2	.	
part of.																						4	1	4	2	5	1	3	12	1	10	3	1		
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA,	14,200	9.3	0.6	33	3	1	.	1	3	1	13	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	4	2	1	3	2	20	1	7	2	.	
part of.																						3	1	2	4	2	1	2	20	1	7	2	.		
FRINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part	11,600	12.4	0.3	36	4	3	1	2	.	9	10	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	2	4	2	1	1	2	20	1	7	2	.	
of.																																			
<b>South City.</b>																																			
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	44,900	14.5	0.9	163	28	8	9	7	19	26	31	35	2	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	1	26	10	5	12	20	5	7	72	7	46	38	1	1	
" " 2	18,900	14.0	0.6	66	8	2	1	3	7	9	22	14	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	8	2	2	8	9	2	7	29	7	18	15	3	3	
" " 3	45,200	16.3	0.7	184	27	6	7	7	10	31	45	51	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	18	3	11	12	23	4	10	99	7	64	36	27	5	5	
" " 4	34,200	18.7	0.7	160	24	4	3	10	17	29	43	30	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	3	27	6	11	13	11	11	4	14	69	13	52	27	5	3	
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	10.7	0.4	29	6	1	.	2	2	4	7	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	2	1	6	1	1	14	1	5	4	3	3	
<b>Urban Districts.</b>																																			
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	12.6	0.4	129	8	3	1	4	5	16	37	55	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	8	4	13	4	15	2	2	5	73	4	37	9	9	1	
PEMBROKE	30,800	15.5	0.8	119	16	7	1	2	6	10	35	42	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	2	9	3	9	15	12	3	4	59	4	37	8	2	2	
BLACKROCK	9,800	18.4	0.8	45	3	.	1	1	.	10	11	19	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	6	6	1	1	25	1	10	3	1	1	
KINGSTOWN	17,300	14.3	0.2	62	7	1	.	1	5	4	15	29	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5	4	1	3	3	5	.	1	39	1	12	5	.	.	
<b>Total</b>																																			
North	170,000	15.5	0.4	658	106	28	15	26	51	98	183	151	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	3	84	32	44	49	73	13	41	313	33	209	86	8	8		
South	154,000	15.6	0.7	602	93	21	20	29	55	99	148	137	2	.	.	1	1	1	5	2	5	81	20	31	46	69	16	39	283	35	185	120	13	13	
<b>North and South</b>																																			
North and South	324,000	15.6	0.6	1,260	199	49	35	55	106	197	331	288	2	.	.	1	1	3	8	2	8	165	52	75	95	142	29	80	596	68	394	206	21	21	
<b>Total Urban Districts</b>																																			
North	99,000	14.3	0.5	355	34	11	3	8	16	40	98	145	1	.	.	.	2	1	2	1	10	23	9	27	28	38	6	11	196	9	96	25	4	4	
South	99,000	14.3	0.5	355	34	11	3	8	16	40	98	145	1	.	.	.	2	1	2	1	10	23	9	27	28	38	6	11	196	9	96	25	4	4	
<b>Total Registration Area</b>																																			
North	423,000	15.3	0.6	1,615	233	60	38	63	122	237	429	433	3	.	.	1	3	4	10	3	18	188	61	102	123	180	35	91	792	77	490	231	25	25	
South	423,000	15.3	0.6	1,615	233	60	38	63	122	237	429	433	3	.	.	1	3	4	10	3	18	188	61	102	123	180	35	91	792	77	490	231	25	25	
<b>Deaths relating to Residents of localities situated out- side the Registration Area (not included in above).</b>																																			
North	167	16	1	167	16	1	2	9	29	51	34	25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	12	9	19	7	10	.	37	71	29	151	16	.	.	
South	167	16	1	167	16	1	2	9	29	51	34	25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	12	9	19	7	10	.	37	71	29	151	16	.	.	
<b>Total</b>																																			
North	334	16.7	0.7	334	32	2	4	18	58	102	68	50	.	.	.	2	6	14	20	6	36	129	122	204	246	360	70	182	1,584	154	980	462	50	50	

\* See note (\*) on page 130b.



TABLE III.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended 2nd July, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; the Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.			Census Population in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.						DEATHS FROM													No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.					
					All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.						Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.						Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.		
							(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)									(9)	(10)		(11)	(12)								(13)	(14)
CITY OF BELFAST.			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT			15,879	132	21.9	1.8	87	15	10	8	14	24	16	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	10	3	8	11	5	1	.	6	7	29	1	
Do. 2 do.		49,500	332	15.9	2.3	197	37	21	24	31	37	47	.	.	.	.	.	19	1	1	.	20	7	20	13	9	4	.	12	13	49	2		
Do. 3 do.		50,032	375	15.2	0.8	190	35	15	22	23	45	50	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	31	5	13	28	10	5	.	4	4	33	4		
Do. 4 do.		32,637	249	16.5	1.2	135	27	8	18	23	30	29	.	.	.	.	.	5	1	1	.	19	5	13	7	10	3	1	3	3	58	2		
Do. 5 do.		16,112	130	20.6	1.5	83	18	12	10	14	16	13	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	9	4	4	7	6	4	.	2	4	33	3		
Do. 6 do.		37,293	217	13.7	1.3	128	18	7	12	27	38	26	1	.	.	.	.	8	1	.	.	17	4	12	8	6	1	.	.	1	28	3		
Do. 7 do.		2,681	17	14.9	3.4	10	1	.	2	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	2	3	.	.	.	3	6	1	
Do. 8 do.		5,964	44	20.1	0.8	30	8	2	7	1	7	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	4	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	6	2	
Do. 9 do.		24,427	168	14.1	1.2	86	13	6	14	13	21	19	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	15	4	1	7	8	2	.	4	5	12	2	2	
Do. 10 do.		28,958	251	14.1	—	102	15	9	12	18	24	24	.	.	.	.	.	5	2	2	.	21	1	10	8	12	1	.	2	2	23	2	2	
Do. 11 do.		—	258	—	—	121	20	8	13	22	24	34	.	.	.	.	.	1	9	1	.	21	2	10	6	7	3	3	3	3	27	1	1	
Do. 12 do.		—	244	—	—	105	24	12	20	9	15	25	.	.	.	.	.	14	.	.	.	14	6	7	8	4	2	2	3	3	10	3	3	
Do. 13 do.		—	121	—	—	68	11	1	6	20	13	17	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	12	3	8	4	2	2	2	3	3	10	3	3	
Do. 14 do.		175	1	21.2	1.2	120	24	12	13	11	38	22	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	19	2	6	9	11	4	.	1	2	23	3	1	
Do. 15 do.		22,669	202	—	—	78	18	9	8	13	17	13	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	8	3	2	7	6	9	.	3	6	9	9	1	
Do. 16 do.		—	184	—	—	78	18	9	8	13	17	13	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	223	50	112	128	105	30	4	43	53	360	19	19	
Total,		386,947	2,925	14.7	1.3	1,540	284	132	188	241	351	344	2	.	.	.	8	4	86	5	.	10	223	50	112	128	105	30	4	43	53	360	19	19
CITY OF CORK.																																		
CORK URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT,			13,455	80	16.9	1.9	57	3	3	13	17	14	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	1	6	1	1	.	.	14	21	34	4	4
Do. 2 do.		10,399	66	14.6	0.8	38	4	7	6	6	6	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	5	2	1	2	2	1	.	2	1	20	3	3
Do. 3 do.		9,793	73	13.9	0.9	34	1	2	5	13	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	6	2	1	2	1	1	.	5	5	10	4	4
Do. 4 do.		9,139	66	15.3	1.3	35	5	5	5	5	10	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	6	2	2	1	2	1	.	1	1	11	1	1
Do. 5 do.		6,250	32	12.8	1.3	20	4	2	3	3	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	3	1	6	2	2
Do. 6 do.		11,581	79	13.1	0.3	38	3	1	1	8	5	20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	4	5	5	4	2	.	.	1	15	4	4	4
Do. 7 do.		16,056	105	17.2	1.5	69	6	4	8	13	15	23	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	4	4	5	3	2	.	.	5	4	36	3	3
Total . . .		76,673	501	15.2	1.0	291	26	19	41	65	62	78	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	15	.	1	31	11	17	9	9	2	.	30	33	132	17	17

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (\*) on page 130b.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 14.8 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 1.6.

TABLE IV.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 2nd July, 1921; and the Annual Deathrate represented by the Deaths registered.

Class.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. [The 31,318 persons returned under the head " Unspecified " in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.]	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.
	ALL PERSONS .. .. .	397,957	—	1,782
	CLASSES. Deaths in Families of the—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. .. .. .	14,658	—	66
II.	MIDDLE CLASS .. .. .	101,798	—	405
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS .. .. .	108,420	—	373
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS .. .. .	167,479	—	691
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES .. .. .	5,602	—	247
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions: Naval and Military Officers and Heads of Public Departments .. .. . 2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class .. .. . 3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described .. .. .	7,868 1,347 5,443	18·0	60 6
II.	MIDDLE CLASS 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, &c. .. .. . 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c. .. .. . 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants .. .. . 7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities, not included in above .. .. .	9,523 25,199 33,249 33,827	15·9	38 87 118 162
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS. 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers .. .. . 9. Building and Furnishing Trades .. .. . 10. Clothing Trades .. .. . 11. Food Supply Trades .. .. . 12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades .. .. . 13. Petty Shopkeepers .. .. .	11,777 28,823 20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772	13·8	29 99 47 16 164 18
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery, and Prison Services, &c. .. .. . 15. Domestic Servants .. .. . 16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c. .. .. . 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c. .. .. .	12,977 36,041 15,380 103,081	16·5	105 69 42 475
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates .. .. .	5,602	—	247

TABLE V.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the QUARTER (13 weeks) ENDED SATURDAY, 2nd July, 1921.

DISEASES.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter.	No. admitted during quarter.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment on above date.
ENTERIC FEVER, ...	9	15	16	3	5
TYPHUS, ...	3	4	6	.	1
SMALL-POX, ...	.	.	.	.	.
MEASLES, ...	6	48	51	1	2
SCARLET FEVER, ...	44	146	158	2	30
DIPHTHERIA, ...	38	119	109	8	40
PNEUMONIA, ...	37	95	108	7	17

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table III. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·3 and 12·7; Dublin Registration Area, 12·9 and 13·1; Dublin City, 13·7 and 13·6; Belfast, 11·8 and 12·5; Cork, 12·2 and 13·1; Londonderry, 10·4 and 9·6; Limerick, 19·0 and 11·5, and Waterford, 15·2 and 14·2.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 95 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 3 from whooping-cough, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. Of the 18 deaths from all causes for Cork there are 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Included in the 9 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are one from each of influenza, and diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and the 14 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from each of scarlet fever and diphtheria.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 247—122 boys and 125 girls—and the deaths to 121—59 males and 62 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·3 and was 6·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-seven weeks was 17·9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 24·1.

Included in the 105 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria numbered one, 0, and one; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 0, 2, and 3; and deaths from influenza one, 0, and one.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia and one from lobar pneumonia, and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 22 deaths (including 20 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 12, 16, and 19 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 5 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis.

Of 10 deaths by violence registered last week one was caused by gunshot wounds returned as accidental, 5 were by homicide, and one was suicidal.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to venereal disease, one to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth and one to congenital debility.

Eighteen of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 12 being infants under one year, of whom 3 were under one month old, and 31 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 105 deaths recorded, 50 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 9th July, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 8·6) was equal to an average annual death rate of 9·5 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 11·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·8 and for Edinburgh 8·6.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases





TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 9TH JULY, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 9TH JULY, 1921.															DEATHS.																		
		ESTI- MATED POP- ULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000		REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY										TOTAL DEATHS.		In Institu- tions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.													
				FROM TAIN ALL CAUSES				CAUSED BY																											
				FROM TAIN ALL CAUSES	FROM TAIN ALL CAUSES			From Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.	Cancer.						Pneumonia.	Other. Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.							
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
North City.																																			
North City, No. 1, E.		31,300	16.7	.	10	2	.	.	1	2	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	4	4	1	.	.	
" " " 1, W.		42,900	13.4	.	11	1	.	.	.	1	1	5	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	6	1	1	4	.	.	
" " " 2		28,700	10.9	.	6	1	.	.	.	1	2	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	2	2	3	.	.
" " " 3		35,600	19.0	.	13	1	.	.	1	1	2	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	6	.	.	.	.	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of		5,700		.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of ...		14,200	14.7	.	4	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of ...		11,600	4.5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
South City.																																			
South City, No. 1		44,900	16.3	1.2	14	3	1	1	1	.	2	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	3	1	.	.	.	9	.	.	1	3	.
" " " 2		18,900	5.5	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	6	.
" " " 3		45,200	16.2	.	14	.	.	1	2	1	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	9	.	.	2	1	.
" " " 4		34,200	13.7	4.6	9	4	.	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	5	1	.
NEW KILMAINHAM		10,800	4.8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Urban Districts.																																			
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR		41,100	7.6	.	6	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	1	2	1	.	.
PENBROKE		30,800	13.5	1.7	8	.	1	.	2	.	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	1	2	.
BLACKROCK		9,800	16.0	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KINGSTOWN		17,300	9.0	.	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL		170,000	13.8	.	45	5	1	1	3	5	11	6	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	1	1	2	3	.	.	7	20	7	14	8	.	.
CITY.		154,000	13.5	1.4	40	7	1	2	3	2	6	8	11	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	5	1	2	5	3	.	.	1	19	1	9	12	.	.
North and South		324,000	13.7	0.6	85	12	2	3	6	7	17	14	24	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	16	2	3	7	6	3	.	8	39	8	23	20	.	.
Total Urban Districts		99,000	10.5	0.5	20	.	1	.	2	1	3	6	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	1	1	.	1	.	2	10	1	4	3	.	.
Total Registration Area		423,000	12.9	0.6	105	12	3	3	8	8	20	20	31	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	20	2	4	8	6	4	.	10	49	9	27	23	.	.
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					16	.	.	.	.	5	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	5	6	4	14	1	.	.

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 9th July, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	1	.	.	4	.	.	—	14	23
	June 25	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	15	23
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	17	24
	July 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	8	22
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
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Blackrock Urban District	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	6
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
City of Belfast	June 18	1	.	1	.	.	—	7	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	13	.	.	1	21	36 <sup>a</sup>
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	28
	July 2	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	11	21
	July 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	28 <sup>a</sup>
City of Cork	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6 <sup>b</sup>
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	July 9	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	2	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8 <sup>b</sup>
City of Londonderry	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Limerick	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
City of Waterford	June 18	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.

<sup>b</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 9th July, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 9th July.			
	June 18.	June 25.	July 2nd.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	7	8	5	1	1	.	5
Typhus, .. ..	1	1	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	5	5	2	.	1	.	1
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	41	40	30	14	9	.	35*
Diphtheria, .. ..	51	37	40	5	12	2	31
Pneumonia, .. ..	19	18	17	7	3	.	21

\* Exclusive of one patient in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



DEATHS.

+ See note (+) at foot of first page.

estimation estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

**NOTE.**—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of certain epidemic diseases 0·5.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 9th July, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>	397,957	—	121
	<b>CLASSES.</b>			
	<b>DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—</b>			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	7
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	22
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	25
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	43
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	24
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions: Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	24·9	5
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		—
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		2
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	11·3	2
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ...	25,199		—
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		7
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		13
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	12·0	1
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		10
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		3
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		1
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		10
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		—
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	13·4	8
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		3
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		6
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		26
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	24



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·9 and 13·1; Dublin Registration Area, 15·8 and 13·9; Dublin City, 16·6 and 14·5; Belfast, 11·5 and 12·1; Cork, 15·0 and 14·5; Londonderry, 8·1 and 9·3; Limerick, 19·0 and 12·2, and Waterford, 28·5 and 13·1.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·8 per 1,000. Among the 93 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from measles, 3 from whooping-cough, and 10 from diarrhoeal diseases and one from influenza. Of the 22 deaths from all causes for Cork there are one from enteric fever and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Included in the 7 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is one from influenza. The 14 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Among the 15 deaths from all causes for Waterford are one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 10 deaths from all causes for Dundalk 3 are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years and one of the 2 deaths for Lurgan is from influenza.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 222—127 boys and 95 girls—and the deaths to 140—60 males and 80 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·2 and was 6·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-eight weeks was 17·9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·9.

Included in the 128 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from scarlet fever and 14 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from scarlet fever numbered 0, one, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 2, 3, and 4.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (including 17 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 16, 19, and 22 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and 5 by bronchitis.

Of 8 deaths by violence registered last week one was caused by gunshot wounds returned as accidental, one was by drowning and 3 were by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 9 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 3 to premature birth, and 8 to congenital debility.

Thirty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 27 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 28 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 14 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 128 deaths recorded, 59 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

## ENGLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 16th July, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·8) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



**TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 16th July, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921, as also the population (provisional estimate) for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markee for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore taken at the Botanic Garden, Glasnevin. (g) Observations at the Botanic Garden, Glasnevin.



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 16TH JULY, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

[illegible]

\* See note (+) at foot of first page;

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 16th July, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Interstitial Pneumonia.	Corebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	June 25	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	15	28
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	12	.	.	—	17	24
	July 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	8	22
	July 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
Pembroke Urban District	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
Blackrock Urban District	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	6
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	June 25	.	.	1	.	.	—	5	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	13	.	.	1	11	28
	July 2	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	10	21
	July 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	9	28a
	July 16	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	9	29a
City of Cork	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	6b
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	July 9	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	2	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8b
	July 16	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	7	1	.	10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20c
City of Londonderry	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
City of Limerick	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Waterford	June 25	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

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DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 16th July:			
	June 25.	July 2.	July 9.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	8	5	5	.	1	.	4
Typhus, .. ..	1	1	1	.	1	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	5	2	1	3	1	.	3
Scarlet Fever,.. ..	40	30	35	14	11	2	36*
Diphtheria, .. ..	37	40	31	9	9	.	31
Pneumonia, .. ..	18	17	21	6	7	1	19

\* Exclusive of 9 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.





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	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>	397,957	—	140
	<b>CLASSES.</b>			
	<b>DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—</b>			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	6
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	19
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	31
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	59
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	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		2
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	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		5
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		4
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		17
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		2
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	18·4	5
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		5
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		10
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		39
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	25



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·9 and 13·5; Dublin Registration Area, 15·4 and 14·2; Dublin City, 16·6 and 15·1; Belfast, 12·7 and 12·3; Cork, 16·3 and 15·3; Londonderry, 9·3 and 9·0; Limerick, 17·6 and 15·9, and Waterford, 17·1 and 18·0.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·2 per 1,000. Among the 132 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from diphtheria, and 13 from diarrhoeal diseases. Of the 24 deaths from all causes for Cork there are 3 from diarrhoeal diseases, and included in the 13 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from each of scarlet fever, diphtheria and diarrhoea under 2 years.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 231—130 boys and 101 girls—and the deaths to 137—70 males and 67 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the twenty-nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·2 and was 5·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the twenty-nine weeks was 17·8, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·7.

Included in the 125 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria and 27 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria numbered one, one, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years 3, 4, and 14.

There were 10 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, and 7 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 13 deaths (including 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from tuberculosis of the spinal column), as against 19, 22, and 20 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis. Of 5 deaths by violence registered last week, one was caused by a vehicle, one was caused by gunshot wounds returned as accidental, 2 were by homicide, and one was by suicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to simple meningitis, 4 to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 23 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

Fifty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 42 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 26 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 125 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 23rd July, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·2 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·4 and for Edinburgh 12·0.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.





TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 23RD JULY, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several EMIGRANTS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 23RD JULY, 1921.																																				
DEATHS.																																				
REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY																															
		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPI-DEMIC DISEASES*		Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.	Larvae, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	IN INSTITUTIONS.													
													Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.						In Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.												
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
North City.																																				
North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	16·7	10·0	10	6	2	.	1	1	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
" " 1, W.	42,900	20·7	6·1	17	4	4	.	.	3	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
" " 2	28,700	25·4	9·1	14	7	.	.	.	3	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
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CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	27·4	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	14·7	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	4·5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
South City.																																				
South City, No. 1	44,900	18·6	2·3	16	5	.	.	.	2	3	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
" " 2	18,900	16·6	5·5	6	2	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
" " 3	45,200	11·5	3·0	10	2	1	.	.	1	2	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
" " 4	34,200	15·2	.	10	3	1	.	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	4·8	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Urban Districts.																																				
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	12·7	1·3	10	3	.	.	1	.	2	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
PEMBROKE	30,800	10·2	3·4	6	3	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
BLACKROCK	9,800	16·0	5·3	3	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
KINGSTOWN	17,300	9·6	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
TOTAL	170,000	18·4	5·5	60	21	8	1	1	4	8	8	9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
South	154,000	14·6	2·0	43	13	1	.	.	5	8	6	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
North and South	324,000	16·6	3·9	103	34	9	1	1	9	16	14	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Total Urban Districts	99,000	11·6	2·1	22	8	.	.	2	.	3	2	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Total Registration Area	423,000	15·4	3·5	125	42	9	1	3	9	19	16	26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).																																				

\* See note (†) at foot of first page:

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 23rd July, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 2	2	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	17	24
	July 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	8	22
	July 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	9	28
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	13
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
Blackrock Urban District	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	4	6
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	2
City of Belfast	July 2	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	11	21
	July 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	10	28 <sup>a</sup>
	July 16	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	9	29 <sup>a</sup>
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	32 <sup>a</sup>
City of Cork	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	July 9	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8 <sup>b</sup>
	July 16	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	7	1	.	10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20 <sup>c</sup>
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1	.	12	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14 <sup>d</sup>
City of Londonderry	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
City of Limerick	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	July 2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum. <sup>b</sup> Not including one case of varicella. <sup>c</sup> Not including two cases of varicella. <sup>d</sup> Not including three cases of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 23rd July, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 23rd July.			
	July 2.	July 9.	July 16.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	5	5	4	2	.	.	6
Typhus, .. ..	1	1	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	2	1	3	7	1	.	9
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	30	35	36	6	2	.	40*
Diphtheria, .. ..	40	31	31	9	7	1	32
Pneumonia, .. ..	17	21	19	10	3	2	24

\* Exclusive of 5 patients in "Bencavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 23rd July, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons *admitted from without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,629, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 11·4 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 1·0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 23rd July, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	137
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS . . . . .	14,658	—	1
II.	MIDDLE CLASS . . . . .	101,798	—	21
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS . . . . .	108,420	—	34
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS . . . . .	167,479	—	65
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES . . . . .	5,602	—	16
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments . . . 2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class . . . . . 3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described . . .	7,868 1,347 5,443	3·6	1 — —
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. . . . 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants . . . . . 7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above . . . . .	9,523 25,199 33,249 33,827	10·8	1 — 13 7
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers . . . . . 9. Building and Furnishing Trades . . . . . 10. Clothing Trades . . . . . 11. Food Supply Trades . . . . . 12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades . . . . . 13. Petty Shopkeepers . . . . .	11,777 28,823 20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772	16·4	2 9 4 2 16 1
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. . . . 15. Domestic Servants . . . . . 16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. . . . . 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. . . . .	12,977 36,041 15,380 103,081	20·2	10 7 3 45
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The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 3·3 per 1,000. Among the 115 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from whooping-cough and 24 from diarrhoeal diseases. Of the 28 deaths from all causes for Cork there are 4 from diarrhoeal diseases. Included in the 12 deaths from all causes for Londonderry is one from each of diphtheria, diarrhoea of a child under 2 years, and influenza. Of the 7 deaths from all causes in Waterford 4 are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 of the 4 deaths from all causes for Dundalk are from the same cause.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 191—92 boys and 99 girls—and the deaths to 115—67 males and 78 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 12) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·4 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·2 and was 5·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty weeks was 17·8, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·4.

Included in the 133 deaths appertaining to the Area are 31 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years numbered 4, 14, and 27, and deaths from influenza one, 0, and 0.

There was one death from broncho-pneumonia.

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 22, 20, and 13 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 8 by bronchitis.

Of 4 deaths by violence registered last week, 2 were caused by vehicles, and one was by homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 5 were due to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to bronchitis, 31 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Fifty-six of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 50 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 36 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 133 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 30th July, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 9·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·3 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·3 and for Edinburgh 11·8.

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† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.







**TABLE II.**—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 30<sup>TH</sup> JULY, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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\* See note (+) at foot of first page

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 30th July, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	8	22
	July 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	9	28
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	—	7	13	
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	.	.	—	1	.	.	1	.	—	6	14	
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	2
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
City of Belfast	July 9	1	.	.	.	.	—	9	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	10	28 <sup>a</sup>	
	July 16	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	9	29 <sup>a</sup>	
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	32 <sup>a</sup>	
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	28 <sup>a</sup>	
City of Cork	July 9	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	2	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8 <sup>b</sup>
	July 16	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	7	1	.	10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	20 <sup>c</sup>	
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1	.	12	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	14 <sup>d</sup>	
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10 <sup>b</sup>	
City of Londonderry	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2	
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1	
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	
City of Limerick	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	July 9	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum. <sup>b</sup> Not including one case of varicella. <sup>c</sup> Not including two cases of varicella. <sup>d</sup> Not including three cases of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 30th July, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 30th July.			
	July 9.	July 16.	July 23.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	5	4	6	.	.	.	6
Typhus, .. ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ... ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	1	3	9	.	6	.	3
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	35	36	40	6	8	.	38*
Diphtheria, .. ..	31	31	32	3	10	.	25
Pneumonia, .. ..	21	19	24	1	2	1	22



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 30 th July, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons *admitted from without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS: the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 14·0 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 3·1.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 30th July, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	145
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	7
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	31
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	23
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	70
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	14
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professors; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	24·9	6
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		1
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		—
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	15·9	—
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		8
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		9
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		14
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	11·1	4
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		1
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		1
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		15
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		—
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	21·8	3
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		10
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		3
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		54
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	14



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### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

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Included in the 123 deaths appertaining to the Area are 26 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years numbered 14, 27, and 34.

There were five deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and three from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (including 8 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis and one from disseminated tuberculosis), as against 20, 13, and 13 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Twelve deaths were caused by cancer, 7 by simple meningitis, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 4 by bronchitis.

Of 3 deaths by violence registered last week, one was caused by gun-shot wounds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to erysipelas, one to pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 to simple meningitis, 3 to convulsions, one to pneumonia, 21 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Forty-six of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 36 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 24 were 70 years of age or over.

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TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.	Total (a).	Per. sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS.			From all Causes.			From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)			TOTAL NUMBER.			Under 1 year of Age.			At 5 years and upwards.			Enteric Fever.			Typhus.			Small-pox.			Measles.			Scarlet Fever.			Whooping-cough.			Diphtheria.			Dysentery.			Influenza.			Pulmonary.			Tuber- culosis.			Cancer.			Diseases of the Respira- tory System.			Diarrhoea and Enteritis.			Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.			Violence.			Inquest Cases.			No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.			Number of Uncertified Deaths.			Absolute Highest.			Absolute Lowest.			Mean Maximum (A).			Mean Minimum (B).			Mean of (A) and (B).			Rainfall in Inches.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS	1,183,268	20.7	23.1	15.4	3.1	525	350	105	84	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	25	5	23	14	21	58	7	8	7	99	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markeo for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 6TH AUGUST, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the Dublin Registration Area, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain ago-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 6TH AUGUST, 1921.												DEATHS.																							
COLS.	ESTI- MATED POP- ULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY										TOTAL DEATHS.		INSTITUTIONS.								Deaths Number of Uncertified													
		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPI- DEMIC DISEASES*	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.		Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	IN INSTITU- TIONS.					
																					Pulmonary.	Other Forms.			Pneumonia.	Other.						In Hospitals, Asylums, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.				
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)				
North City.																																					
North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	13.3	5.0	3	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	3	6	.	2	5	2	3	3	2	.		
" " 1, W.	42,900	19.4	8.5	7	.	.	.	2	1	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	1	1	.	5	8	1	3	3	1	.		
" " 2	28,700	23.6	1.8	1	.	.	.	1	2	6	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	3	.	.	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
" " 3	35,600	29.3	5.9	9	.	.	.	.	3	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	1	1	.	12	1	6	1	6	.			
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	25.7	7.3	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.			
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	4.5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.			
South City.																																					
South City, No. 1	44,900	5.8	.	1	.	1	.	.	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	3	3	.	1	1	.			
" " 2	18,900	11.0	2.8	4	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.			
" " 3	45,200	15.0	3.5	5	2	1	1	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	.	.	6	6	.	2	2	.			
" " 4	34,200	16.8	4.6	6	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	5	5	.	2	2	.			
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	24.1	9.7	2	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	2	2	.	2	2	.			
Urban Districts.																																					
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	10.1	1.3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.	.	4	4	.	2	4	.			
PENBROKE	30,800	10.2	1.7	1	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	2	2	.	1	1	.			
BLACKBROOK	9,800	10.6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.			
KINGSTOWN	17,300	12.1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	3	.	1	1	.			
<b>TOTAL</b>	170,000	19.9	5.2	20	5	7	1	2	9	13	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	2	5	1	3	16	1	.	31	.	16	9	.				
<b>CITY.</b>	154,000	12.9	3.0	15	2	2	1	.	4	8	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	4	1	2	8	1	.	19	.	8	2	.				
North and South	324,000	16.6	4.2	35	7	2	2	2	13	21	21	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	2	9	3	5	24	2	.	50	.	24	11	.				
Total Urban Districts	99,000	10.5	1.1	1	1	.	.	1	1	5	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	.	2	.	3	10	1	8	.	.				
<b>Total Registration Area</b>	423,000	15.2	3.5	36	8	2	2	3	14	26	32	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	2	12	5	5	26	2	3	60	1	32	11	.				
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).																																					
				.	.	.	1	2	3	5	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	.	1	5	1	12	.	.				

\* See note (†) at foot of first page

*Infectious Diseases in City of Dublin, &c.*

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 6th August, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash (—) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 16	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	5	1	.	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	9	28
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	13
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	6	14
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	1	1	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	4	14
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	2
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	July 16	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	9	29 <sup>a</sup>
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	32 <sup>a</sup>
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	28 <sup>a</sup>
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	29 <sup>a</sup>
City of Cork	July 16	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	7	1	.	10	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20 <sup>a</sup>
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1	.	12	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14 <sup>a</sup>
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10 <sup>a</sup>
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
City of Londonderry	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	1
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	1
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	1
City of Limerick	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Waterford	July 16	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum. <sup>b</sup> Not including two cases of varicella. <sup>c</sup> Not including three cases of varicella. <sup>d</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 6th August, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 6th August			
	July 16.	July 23.	July 30.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. .. .	4	6	6	2	3	.	5
Typhus, .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. .. .	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. .. .	3	9	3	2	1	.	4
Scarlet Fever, .. .. .	35	40	38	11	8	.	41*
Diphtheria, .. .. .	31	32	25	7	3	.	29
Pneumonia, .. .. .	19	24	22	3	7	1	17

\* Exclusive of 9 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 6th August, 1921. Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

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NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 16·1 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 2·6.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 6th August, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	135
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	7
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	31
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	27
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	59
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	11
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	24·9	4
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		3
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	15·9	1
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ...	25,199		8
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		10
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		12
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	13·0	2
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		6
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		4
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		5
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		8
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		2
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	18·4	13
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		2
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		2
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		42
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	11



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 15·6 and 14·9; Dublin Registration Area, 16·8 and 15·9; Dublin City, 18·5 and 17·5; Belfast, 14·5 and 14·0; Cork, 12·9 and 16·3; Londonderry, 20·9 and 13·9; Limerick, 24·4 and 16·6, and Waterford, 11·4 and 11·9.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 3·7 per 1,000. Among the 117 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from whooping-cough, 19 from diarrhoeal diseases, and one from influenza. Included in the 18 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are 6 from diarrhoeal diseases. Of the 18 deaths from all causes for Limerick one is from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years; and the 12 deaths from all causes for Galway include one from measles and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 199—101 boys and 98 girls—and the deaths to 149—78 males and 71 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·2 and was 5·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-two weeks was 17·8, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 23·0.

Included in the 136 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, one from dysentery, and 46 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, 0 and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 27, 34, and 26. There were no deaths registered from dysentery during the preceding three weeks.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (all being from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 13, 18 and 10 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 4 by organic diseases of the heart, and 13 by bronchitis.

Of 5 deaths by violence registered last week, one was caused by gun-shot wounds, and one was a case of homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 6 were due to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 44 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Sixty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 53 being infants under one year, of whom 12 were under one month old, and 30 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 25 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 136 deaths recorded, 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 13th August, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·1 and for Edinburgh 10·0.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

**TABLE I**—**BIRTHS AND DEATHS** registered during the week ending Saturday, 13th August, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimates shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 5 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 13TH AUGUST, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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\* See note (+) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 13th August, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	7	13
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	6	14
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	1	1	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	4	14
	Aug. 13	2	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	1	.	—	6	.	.	5	.	.	—	8	30
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	.	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	7
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	—	3	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
Blackrock Urban District	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Kingstown Urban District	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	2
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	4	.	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	32 <sup>a</sup>	
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	28 <sup>a</sup>	
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	24	
	Aug. 13	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	13	26	
City of Cork	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	12	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14 <sup>b</sup>
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10 <sup>c</sup>
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	19 <sup>c</sup>
City of Londonderry	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Limerick	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Waterford	July 23	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum. <sup>b</sup> Not including three cases of varicella. <sup>c</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended, Saturday, 13th August, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 13th August			
	July 23.	July 30.	Aug. 6.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	6	6	5	4	.	.	9
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	9	3	4	1	1	.	4
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	40	38	41	2	13	.	30*
Diphtheria, .. ..	32	25	29	4	12	1	20
Pneumonia, .. ..	24	22	17	3	3	.	17

\* Exclusive of 14 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 13th August, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		Total Number of DEATHS.	AGES AT DEATH.						DEATHS FROM													No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.						
				All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†		Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.		Other Forms.	Cancer.			DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.
																						Other Causes.	Diseases of the Respiratory System										
CITY OF BELFAST.		Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
Do.	Do.	15,879	8	16.4	3.3	5	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1
Do.	Do.	49,500	26	13.7	3.2	13	5	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	50,032	25	14.6	2.1	14	3	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	32,637	18	11.2	6.4	7	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	16,112	9	22.7	2.8	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	37,293	15	11.2	2.8	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	2,681	2	8.7	8.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	5,964	1	8.7	8.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	24,427	9	14.9	14.9	7	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	28,958	16	23.4	23.4	13	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	—	17	—	—	10	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	—	19	—	—	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	—	15	—	—	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	175	12	29.9	2.3	13	1	1	1	1	1	6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	22,669	11	—	—	7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	—	11	—	—	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total,		386,947	203	14.5	2.6	117	33	5	15	15	30	19	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	5	4	6	2	2	5	4	3	18	1	13	14	22	4
CITY OF CORK																																	
Do.	Do.	13,455	9	19.4	3.9	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	10,399	4	5.0	5.0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	9,793	7	10.6	10.6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	9,139	5	5.7	5.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	6,250	7	8.3	8.3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	11,581	8	22.5	22.5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do.	Do.	16,056	6	13.0	13.0	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total,		76,673	46	12.9	9.7	19	2	1	3	2	5	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 15.0 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 3.6.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 13th August, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>	397,957	—	149
	<b>CLASSES.</b>			
	<b>DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—</b>			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	4
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	22
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	34
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	71
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	18
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	14·2	4
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ...	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	11·3	1
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ...	25,199		9
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		2
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		10
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	16·4	6
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		12
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		2
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		.
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		14
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		.
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	22·1	12
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		3
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		6
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		50
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	18



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 14·2 and 15·0; Dublin Registration Area, 18·1 and 16·6; Dublin City, 19·3 and 18·2; Belfast, 12·1 and 14·1; Cork, 6·8 and 13·9; Londonderry, 13·9 and 15·1; Limerick, 8·1 and 14·2; and Waterford, 13·3 and 10·9.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 2·1 per 1,000. Among the 104 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 9 from diarrhoeal diseases. Of the 6 deaths from all causes for Limerick one is from diphtheria. The five deaths from all causes for Dundalk include one from enteric fever, one from whooping-cough, and 2 from diarrhoeal diseases. One of the 2 deaths recorded for Lisburn is from diphtheria, and of the 3 deaths from all causes for Newry one is from whooping-cough.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 240—126 boys and 114 girls—and the deaths to 161—91 males and 70 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·3 and was 5·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-three weeks was 17·9, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·9.

Included in the 147 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, one from influenza, and 28 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, 0, and one; deaths from influenza one, 0, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 34, 26, and 46.

There were 2 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 14 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculosis), as against 18, 10 and 11 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 9 by bronchitis.

Of 13 deaths by violence registered last week, 2 were caused by burns and one by gunshot wounds, accidentally received, and 2 deaths were attributed to homicide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to pulmonary tuberculosis, one to tuberculous meningitis, one to abdominal tuberculosis, 2 to venereal disease, 2 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to broncho-pneumonia, 27 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to congenital malformations, 5 to premature birth and 6 to congenital debility.

Sixty of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 54 being infants under one year, of whom 17 were under one month old, and 35 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 25 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 147 deaths recorded, 57 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 20th August, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·5 and for Edinburgh 12·9.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



**TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 20th August, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 Sea-birds from each bird-signal installation.



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 20TH AUGUST, 1921, the number of Deaths of Residents in the several Registrars' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, *the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.*

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 20TH AUGUST, 1921.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY													In Institutions.		Deaths.																
		ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1921.	FROM ALL CAUSES.	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*.	CAUSED BY													In Hospitals, Asylums, and Lunatic Asylums.		In Workhouse Hospitals.															
					CAUSED BY																														
					Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.				Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.	Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Ingest Cases.			
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(4)	
North City.																																			
	North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	21.7	3.3	13	6	1	1	3	3	4	5	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	3	1	2	3	2	3	3	3	4	2	
	" " 1, W.	42,900	20.7	3.6	17	6	1	1	1	1	2	4	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 2	28,700	20.0	1.8	11	5	1	1	1	1	2	4	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 3	35,600	14.6	1.5	10	2	1	1	1	1	2	4	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	11.0	11.0	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	9.0	4.5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	9.0	4.5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
South City.																																			
	South City, No. 1	44,900	27.9	8.1	24	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 2	18,900	13.8	2.8	5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 3	45,200	21.9	6.9	19	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 4	34,200	22.9	1.5	15	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	4.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Urban Districts.																																			
	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	11.4	2.5	9	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	PEMBROKE	30,800	15.2	5.2	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	BLACKBROOK	9,800	16.0	5.3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	KINGSTOWN	17,300	18.1	5.3	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	TOTAL	170,000	17.2	3.4	56	22	1	2	7	13	9	14	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	South	154,000	21.7	5.1	64	26	1	1	2	5	13	14	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	North and South	324,000	19.3	4.2	120	48	3	2	4	12	26	23	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Total Urban Districts	99,000	14.2	1.6	27	6	1	1	1	1	6	12	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Total Registration Area	423,000	18.1	3.6	147	54	3	3	4	13	32	35	1	10	1	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					14	1	1	1	4	4	4	4	1	3	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 20th August, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.		Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	1	1	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	6	14
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	1	1	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	4	14
		Aug. 13	2	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	1	—	—	—	6	.	.	5	.	—	8	30
		Aug. 20	3	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	2	.	—	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	29
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
		Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
		Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
		Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
		Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
Blackrock Urban District	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
		Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
		Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Kingstown Urban District	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	2
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
		Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
		Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
City of Belfast	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	28 <sup>a</sup>	
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	15	24	
		Aug. 13	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	13	26	
		Aug. 20	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	4	.	13	38	
City of Cork	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	9	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10 <sup>b</sup>
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	7
		Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	16	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	19 <sup>b</sup>
		Aug. 20	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	28	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	39
City of Londonderry	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
		Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
		Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
City of Limerick	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
		Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
		Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
City of Waterford	{	July 30	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	
		Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
		Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
		Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum. <sup>b</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended, Saturday, 20th August, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 20th August			
	July 30.	Aug. 6.	Aug. 13th	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	6	5	9	5	1	.	13
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	3	4	4	4	3	.	5
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	38	41	30	9	13	1	25*
Diphtheria, .. ..	25	20	20	7	3	.	24
Pneumonia, .. ..	22	17	17	3	7	.	13

\* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 20th August, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Popu- lation in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		Total Number of DEATHS.	AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM										No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Inquest Cases.	Violence.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 13.5 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 1.6.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 20th August, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	161
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	3
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	30
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	34
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	69
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	25
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	10·7	2
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		1
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	15·4	2
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		6
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		11
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		11
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	16·4	5
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	23,823		6
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		2
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		18
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		1
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	21·5	10
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		6
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		4
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		49
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	25



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·2 and 14·6 ; Dublin Registration Area, 15·0 and 16·3 ; Dublin City, 15·0 and 17·3 ; Belfast, 12·0 and 13·5 ; Cork, 11·6 and 12·1 ; Londonderry, 9·3 and 13·9 ; Limerick, 14·9 and 15·6, and Waterford, 22·8 and 13·3.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·9 per 1,000. Among the 97 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from whooping-cough and 9 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. The 17 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 8 deaths from all causes for Londonderry 2 are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 of the 4 deaths recorded for Portadown are from the same cause.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 183—94 boys and 89 girls—and the deaths to 130—68 males and 62 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·2 and was 5·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-four weeks was 17·8, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·8.

Included in the 122 deaths appertaining to the Area are 26 from diarrhoeal diseases. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 28, 46, and 28.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 9 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from abdominal tuberculosis), as against 10, 11 and 14, in the 3 weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and one by bronchitis.

Of 9 deaths by violence registered last week, 2 were caused by burns, 2 by drowning, and 2 by vehicles.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to broncho-pneumonia, 23 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 2 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Forty-four of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 37 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 27 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 122 deaths recorded, 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 27th August, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·6 and for Edinburgh 12·7.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 27th August, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.





TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 27th August, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhœal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	1	1	—	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	4	14
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	Aug. 27	1	.	.	.	.	—	17	—	15	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	53 <sup>a</sup>	
City of Cork	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	
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City of Limerick	Aug. 6	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.	
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<sup>a</sup> Including 2 cases of ophthalmia neonatorum. <sup>b</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended, Saturday, 27th August, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 27th August			
	Aug. 6.	Aug. 13.	Aug. 20.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	5	9	13	5	3	.	15
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	4	4	5	1	2	.	4
Scarlet Fever, ..	41	30	25	4	5	.	24*
Diphtheria, ..	29	20	24	1	7	.	18
Pneumonia, ..	17	17	13	3	3	1	12

\* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 27th August, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS: the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes: the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM													Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
			All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																
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NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 10·9 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases 0·5.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 27th August, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>	397,957	—	130
	<b>CLASSES.</b>			
	<b>DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—</b>			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	6
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	35
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	29
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	44
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	16
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	21·3	5
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		1
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		1
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	17·9	2
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ...	25,199		10
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		9
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		14
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	13·9	4
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		6
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		3
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		13
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		1
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	13·7	7
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		4
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		3
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		30
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	16



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·4 and 14·1 ; Dublin Registration Area, 14·5 and 16·1 ; Dublin City, 13·8 and 16·6 ; Belfast, 12·3 and 12·9 ; Cork, 19·7 and 12·8 ; Londonderry, 11·6 and 13·9 ; Limerick, 8·1 and 13·9, and Waterford, 5·7 and 13·3.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·9 per 1,000. Among the 99 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, one from diphtheria, and 11 from diarrhoeal diseases. The 6 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from enteric fever and 2 from scarlet fever, and 2 of the 3 deaths recorded for Waterford are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 225—119 boys and 106 girls—and the deaths to 131—66 males and 65 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 13) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·2 and was 5·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-five weeks was 17·8, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·7.

Included in the 118 deaths appertaining to the Area are 24 from diarrhoeal diseases. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 46, 28, and 26.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (all being from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 11, 14 and 12 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Ten deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 3 by bronchitis.

Of 3 deaths by violence registered last week, 2 were caused by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to septicæmia, one to broncho-pneumonia, 17 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Forty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 33 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 19 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 118 deaths recorded, 52 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 3rd September, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·0 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·9 and for Edinburgh 9·6.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

**BIRTHS and DEATHS** registered during the week ending Saturday, 3rd September, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 13 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also Statistics recording Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 3RD SEPTEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain ago-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

DEATHS.																	
CAUSED BY																	
In Institutions.																	
Deaths.																	
Number of Uncertified																	
In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.																	
In Hospitals.																	
In Workhouse																	
Inquest Cases.																	
Other Causes.																	
Violence.																	
Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.																	
Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.																	
Diseases of Respiratory System.																	
Pneumonia.																	
Other.																	
Cancer.																	
Tuberculosis.																	
Pulmonary.																	
Other Forms.																	
Influenza.																	
Dysentery.																	
Diphtheria.																	
Whooping-cough.																	
Scarlet Fever.																	
Measles.																	
Small-pox.																	
Typhus.																	
Enteric Fever.																	
65 and upwards.																	
45 and under 65.																	
25 and under 45.																	
15 and under 25.																	
5 and under 15.																	
2 and under 5.																	
1 and under 2.																	
Under 1 year.																	
Total Deaths.																	
FROM ALL CAUSES																	
FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*																	
ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.																	
ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.																	
REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.																	
WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 3RD SEPTEMBER, 1921.																	

North City.		South City.		Urban Districts.		Total Registration Area	
North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	20.0	1.7	10	5.8	11.6	44,900
" " 1, W.	42,900	15.8	3.6	10	2.8	27.6	18,900
" " 2	28,700	16.4	3.6	10	3.5	15.0	45,200
" " 3	35,600	10.3	4.4	4	6.1	4.8	34,200
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	7.3	9.0	1	4.8	4.8	10,800
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	22.5					
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600						
South City.		Urban Districts.		Total Registration Area		Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).	
South City, No. 1	44,900	11.6	5.8	10	5.8	11.6	44,900
" " 2	18,900	27.6	2.8	10	2.8	27.6	18,900
" " 3	45,200	15.0	3.5	10	3.5	15.0	45,200
" " 4	34,200	6.1	4.8	4	6.1	4.8	34,200
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	4.8	4.8	1	4.8	4.8	10,800
Urban Districts.		Total Registration Area		Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).		Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).	
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	19.0	2.5	15	2.5	19.0	41,100
PEMBROKE	30,800	10.2	1.7	6	1.7	10.2	30,800
BLACKBROOK	9,800	16.0		3		16.0	9,800
KINGSTOWN	17,800	24.1		8		24.1	17,800
TOTAL	170,900	14.7	3.4	48	3.4	14.7	170,900
CITY.	154,000	12.9	3.4	38	3.4	12.9	154,000
North and South	324,000	13.8	3.4	86	3.4	13.8	324,000
Total Urban Districts	99,000	16.9	1.6	32	1.6	16.9	99,000
Total Registration Area	423,000	14.5	3.0	118	3.0	14.5	423,000

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 3rd September, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 13	2	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	1	.	—	6	.	.	5	.	.	—	8	30
	Aug. 20	3	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	2	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	16	29
	Aug. 27	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	15
	Sept. 3	6	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	12	29
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	5
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Aug. 13	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	1	1	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	13	26
	Aug. 20	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	13	38
	Aug. 27	1	.	.	.	.	—	17	—	15	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	53 <sup>a</sup>
	Sept. 3	4	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	6	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	20	48 <sup>b</sup>
City of Cork	Aug. 13	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	16	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	19 <sup>c</sup>
	Aug. 20	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	39
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	14	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	22 <sup>c</sup>
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
City of Londonderry	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
City of Waterford	Aug. 13	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

a Including 2 cases of ophthalmia neonatorum.      b Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.  
c Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 3rd September, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 3rd September			
	Aug. 13.	Aug. 20.	Aug. 27.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	9	13	15	3	1	.	17
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	4	5	4	1	3	.	2
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	30	25	24	5	10	.	19*
Diphtheria, .. ..	20	24	18	8	5	.	21
Pneumonia, .. ..	17	13	12	1	5	.	8

\* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 3rd September, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons *admitted from without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 3rd September, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	131
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	4
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	24
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	29
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	54
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	20
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professors; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	14·2	4
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	12·3	1
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ...	25,199		6
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		9
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		8
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	13·9	1
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		9
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		7
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		8
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		2
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	16·8	8
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		9
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		2
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		35
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	20



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 12·6 and 13·4 ; Dublin Registration Area, 16·3 and 16·0 ; Dublin City, 17·2 and 16·3 ; Belfast, 9·9 and 11·8 ; Cork, 5·4 and 10·9 ; Londonderry, 16·2 and 12·8 ; Limerick, 16·2 and 11·8, and Waterford, 15·2 and 14·2.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·7 per 1,000. Among the 80 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, and 9 from diarrhoeal diseases. Three of the 14 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are from diarrhoeal diseases, and the 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick include one from scarlet fever and one from diarrhoea.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 201—104 boys and 97 girls—and the deaths to 136—64 males and 72 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 4) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 16·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·2 and was 4·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-six weeks was 17·7, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·6.

Included in the 132 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 16 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from encephalitis lethargica. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, 0, and 0, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, 28, 25, and 22. There were no deaths registered from whooping-cough during the preceding 3 weeks.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from lobar pneumonia and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 14, 12, and 10 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 8 by bronchitis. Two deaths attributed to accidental violence were registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to disseminated tuberculosis, 2 to venereal disease, 4 to convulsions, one to pneumonia (type not distinguished), 13 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Forty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 36 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 14 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 132 deaths recorded, 55 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

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The mortality among civilians for the week ended 10th September, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimates shown for London relate to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (t) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Arnhem have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.



TABLE 11 — Showing for the WEEK ENDED 10TH SEPTEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																IN INSTITUTIONS.				Deaths. Number of Uncertified													
		ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.		TOTAL DEATHS.																	In Asylums.	In Workhouse.	Hospitals.														
					FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
		COLS.																																			
North City.																																					
North City, No. 1, E.	...	31,300	25.0	3.3	15	3	.	2	.	3	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	.	2	2	3	1	1	.	.	5	3	8	4	.	.
" " 1, W.	...	42,900	23.1	2.4	19	5	1	1	.	4	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	.	1	2	.	.	12	6	3	8	2	.	.
" " 2	...	28,700	23.6	7.3	13	4	1	.	.	2	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	1	4	.	.	6	3	4	1	1	.	.
" " 3	...	35,600	16.1	1.5	11	6	1	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	6	1	1	2	.	.
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	...	5,700	18.3	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	...	14,200	3.7	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	...	11,600	4.5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	
South City.																																					
South City, No. 1	...	44,900	13.9	2.3	12	4	.	1	.	4	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	.	2	.	.	2	1	.	.	4	.	5	1	3	.	.
" " 2	...	18,900	11.0	.	4	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	.	.
" " 3	...	45,200	18.5	3.5	16	4	3	.	.	1	3	5	5	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	.	2	3	3	.	.
" " 4	...	34,200	16.8	4.6	11	3	.	.	.	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	3	.	.	.	
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	10,800	9.7	.	2	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	
Urban Districts.																																					
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	...	41,100	8.9	2.5	7	2	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	5	1	4	.	.
PENBROKE	...	30,800	8.5	.	5	3	.	.	.	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
BLACKROCK	...	9,800	10.6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
KINGSTOWN	...	17,300	33.2	.	11	2	.	1	2	1	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	4	.	.	.	
TOTAL	...	170,000	19.0	2.8	62	18	2	4	1	6	12	7	7	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	7	1	4	4	.	1	8	.	2	32	6	17	9	1	.	
CITY.	...	154,000	15.2	2.7	45	11	3	2	.	9	12	8	8	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	3	2	5	.	.	5	6	.	.	22	.	13	7	.	.	
North and South	...	324,000	17.2	2.7	107	29	6	1	6	21	24	15	15	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	10	3	9	4	.	8	14	.	2	54	6	30	16	1	.	
Total Urban Districts	...	99,000	13.2	1.1	25	7	.	1	2	4	3	8	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	1	2	.	.	17	.	8	1	2	.	
Total Registration Area	...	423,000	16.3	2.3	132	36	5	7	3	25	27	23	23	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	11	5	11	4	.	9	16	.	2	71	6	38	17	3	.	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					4	2	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	5	1	.	.	

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 10th September, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Aug. 20	3	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	2	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	16	29
	Aug. 27	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	1	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	15
	Sept. 3	6	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	12	29
	Sept. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	25
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	3
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Belfast	Aug. 20	2	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	13	38
	Aug. 27	1	.	.	.	.	—	17	—	15	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	53 <sup>a</sup>
	Sept. 3	4	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	6	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	20	48 <sup>b</sup>
	Sept. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	20	49 <sup>b</sup>
City of Cork	Aug. 20	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	28	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	39
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	14	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	22 <sup>c</sup>
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	14	8
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.
City of Londonderry	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Limerick	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	1
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	9
City of Waterford	Aug. 20	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

<sup>a</sup> Including 2 cases of ophthalmia neonatorum.      <sup>b</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.  
<sup>c</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 10th September, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 10th September			
	Aug. 20	Aug. 27.	Sept. 3.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	13	15	17	3	1	.	19
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	5	4	2	1	1	.	2
Scarlet Fever,..	25	24	19	12	9	.	22*
Diphtheria,	24	18	21	11	5	1	26
Pneumonia,	13	12	8	8	3	.	13



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 10th September, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of Mortality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM													No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Inquest Cases.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.		
				All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.	Under 1 year.					Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.						
							Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.									65 years and upwards.	Pulmonary.		Other Forms.	Pneumonia.				Other.					
																																(6)	(7)
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
CITY OF BELFAST.																																	
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.			15,879	8	19.7	9.9	6.9	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 2 do.			49,500	37	7.4	2.1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 3 do.			50,032	35	7.3	2.1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 4 do.			32,637	14	11.2	3.2	7	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 5 do.			16,112	13	3.2	3.2	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 6 do.			37,293	12	9.8	3.2	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 7 do.			2,681	3	58.3	19.4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 8 do.			6,964	2	8.7	3.6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 9 do.			24,427	14	6.4	3.6	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 10 do.			28,958	29	18.0	3.6	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 11 do.			—	22	—	—	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 12 do.			—	17	—	—	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 13 do.			—	11	—	—	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 14 do.			175	20	11.5	2.3	5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 15 do.			22,669	9	—	—	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 16 do.			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total,			386,947	246	9.9	1.5	80	15	7	11	12	23	12	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	10	1	5	7	7	7	7	2	1	22	1	1
CITY OF CORK																																	
CORK URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.			13,455	4	3.9	5.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 2 do.			10,399	12	15.0	5.3	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 3 do.			9,793	5	5.3	5.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 4 do.			9,139	4	5.7	5.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 5 do.			6,250	1	1.6	1.6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 6 do.			11,581	5	4.3	4.3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Do. 7 do.			16,056	3	6.5	6.5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total,			76,673	34	5.4	0.7	8	2	2	2	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 11.9 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 1.6.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 10th September, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	136
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	4
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	26
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	23
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	65
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	18
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ... 2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... .. 3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	7,868 1,347 5,443	14·2	4 . .
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ... 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ... 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... .. 7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	9,523 25,199 33,249 33,827	13·3	4 7 6 9
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... .. 9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... .. 10. Clothing Trades ... .. 11. Food Supply Trades ... .. 12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... .. 13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	11,777 28,823 20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772	11·1	2 7 3 . 8 3
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ... 15. Domestic Servants ... .. 16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... .. 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	12,977 36,041 15,380 103,081	20·2	8 11 5 41
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	18



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES  
AND RATHGAR, PEMBROKE, BLACKROCK, AND KINGSTOWN;

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 11·3 and 12·6; Dublin Registration Area, 13·2 and 14·7; Dublin City, 13·8 and 14·9; Belfast, 8·8 and 10·8; Cork, 17·7 and 13·6; Londonderry, 5·8 and 10·7; Limerick, 9·5 and 12·2, and Waterford, 11·4 and 13·8.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·4 per 1,000. Among the 71 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from diphtheria, and 3 are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and the 3 deaths recorded for Newry include one from whooping-cough, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 193—106 boys and 87 girls—and the deaths to 123—63 males and 60 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·1 and was 4·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-seven weeks was 17·7, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·5.

Included in the 107 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from dysentery and 12 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 25, 22, and 16. There were no deaths registered from dysentery during the preceding 3 weeks.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and one from tuberculous meningitis) as against 12, 10, and 16 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 6 by bronchitis.

Three deaths attributed to accidental violence were registered, of which one was caused by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to septicæmia, 2 to simple meningitis, one to pneumonia (type not distinguished), 9 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 3 to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Thirty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 107 deaths recorded, 45 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 17th September, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 11·1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 11·2 and for Edinburgh 11·4.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.







## Deaths in Dublin Registration Area.

TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 17TH SEPTEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.			WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 17TH SEPTEMBER, 1921.										DEATHS.																						
COLS.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.	FROM CAUSES		FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*		CAUSED BY										IN INSTITUTIONS.																		
			ALL	FROM	EPI-	DEM-	Dis-	EASES*	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse.	In Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.						
																	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.														
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
North City.																																			
North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	10.0	6	3	1	1	2	1	1	3	3	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	2		
" " 1, W.	42,900	14.6	12	3	1	1	2	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
" " 2	28,700	18.2	10	3	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
" " 3	35,600	19.0	13	3	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	2	2	2	1	2	2	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	9.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	18.4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
South City.																																			
South City, No. 1	44,900	8.1	7	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 2	18,900	16.6	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 3	45,200	17.3	15	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 4	34,200	12.2	8	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	14.5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Urban Districts.																																			
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	8.9	7	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
PENBROKE	30,800	8.5	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
BLACKBROCK	9,800	16.0	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
KINGSTOWN	17,300	18.1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL	170,000	14.4	47	8	2	2	3	4	12	15	15	4	6	2	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	3	4	
CITY.	154,000	13.2	39	13	2	2	3	7	5	8	8	5	2	4	3	7	1	2	4	3	7	1	2	4	3	7	1	2	4	3	7	1	2	4	
North and South	324,000	13.5	86	21	4	4	6	11	17	23	23	9	8	6	6	11	3	4	6	6	11	3	4	6	6	11	3	4	6	6	11	3	4	6	
Total Urban Districts	99,000	11.1	21	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total Registration Area	423,000	13.2	107	25	5	5	6	15	18	32	32	10	8	6	8	12	3	4	8	8	12	3	4	8	8	12	3	4	8	8	12	3	4	8	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).			16	2	1	1	2	2	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 17th September, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin.	Aug. 27	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	15
	Sept. 3	6	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	12	29
	Sept. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	25
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	29	42
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Kingstown Urban District.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	3
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast.	Aug. 27	1	.	.	.	.	—	17	—	15	6	2	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	18	53 <sup>a</sup>
	Sept. 3	4	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	6	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	20	48 <sup>b</sup>
	Sept. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	20	49 <sup>b</sup>
	Sept. 17	4	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	16	32
City of Cork.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	14	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	22 <sup>c</sup>
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8 <sup>d</sup>
City of Londonderry.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	4
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
City of Limerick.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	3
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	5
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
City of Waterford.	Aug. 27	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	.

a Including 2 cases of ophthalmia neonatorum. b Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.  
c Not including one case of varicella. d Not including 2 cases of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 17th September, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 17th September			
	Aug. 27.	Sept. 3.	Sept. 10.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	15	17	19	2	1	.	20
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	4	2	2	.	.	.	2
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	24	19	22	12	5	.	29*
Diphtheria, .. ..	18	21	26	7	3	.	30
Pneumonia, .. ..	12	8	13	5	2	1	15



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 17th September, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS: the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.	Popu- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM																No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Inquest Cases.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.				
			All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.					Typhus.					Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.								
					Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Biliary Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.								Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.		Diphtheria.	Dysentery.				Influenza.				Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Pneumonia.	Other.
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)					
CITY OF BELFAST.																																					
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.		15,879	5	9.9	3.3	3	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		49,500	20	12.6	1.1	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		50,032	21	12.5	1.0	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		32,637	14	9.6	1.6	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		16,112	11	3.2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		37,293	16	7.0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		2,681	1	38.9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		5,964	1	12.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		24,327	7	9.0	3.6	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		28,958	15	9.0	1	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		—	17	—	—	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		—	11	—	—	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		175	16	11.5	4.6	5	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		22,669	15	—	—	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		—	15	—	—	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Total,		386,947	175	8.8	1.0	71	12	5	8	13	17	16	1	1	1	1	1	6	2	10	2	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6	6					
CITY OF CORK.																																					
CORK URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.		13,455	4	11.6	10.0	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		10,399	14	45.1	5.3	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		9,793	4	10.6	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		9,139	9	17.1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		6,250	4	8.3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		11,581	5	18.0	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Do.		16,056	6	13.0	3.2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1					
Total,		76,673	46	17.7	2.7	26	6	2	5	2	6	5	1	1	1	1	1	3	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	2					

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 7.3 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 0.0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 17th September, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified," in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	123
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	5
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	32
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	26
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	45
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	15
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	17·8	5
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	16·4	7
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		2
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		8
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		15
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	12·5	2
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		2
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		6
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		.
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		12
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		4
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	14·0	1
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		7
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		4
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		33
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	15



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 14·7 and 13·0; Dublin Registration Area, 13·7 and 14·4; Dublin City, 14·2 and 14·7; Belfast, 12·5 and 10·9; Cork, 21·1 and 16·0; Londonderry, 23·2 and 14·2; Limerick, 16·2 and 12·5 and Waterford, 13·3 and 11·4.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·6 per 1,000. Among the 101 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from diphtheria, and 8 from diarrhoeal diseases. The 31 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. Of the 20 deaths from all causes for Londonderry one is from diphtheria, and one is from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years; of the 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick one is from scarlet fever, and 2 are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age, and the 7 deaths recorded for Waterford include 3 from diarrhoeal diseases.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 188—104 boys and 84 girls—and the deaths to 126—74 males and 52 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 15) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·0 and was 4·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-eight weeks was 17·6, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·4.

Included in the 111 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 13 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, one and 0; and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 22, 16, and 12. There were no deaths registered from influenza during the preceding 3 weeks.

There were 5 deaths from pneumonia, comprising one from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 10, 16, and 11 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Three deaths attributed to accidental violence were registered, of which one (that of a child aged 2 years) was caused by burns and one by drowning.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to simple meningitis, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, one to pulmonary congestion, 9 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 6 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

Forty-one of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 31 being infants under one year, of whom 14 were under one month old, and 21 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 16 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 111 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 24th September, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 13·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·0 and for Edinburgh 14·1.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 24th September, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area, and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page, (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanists' Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 24TH SEPTEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 24th September, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 3	6	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	2	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	12	29
	Sept. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	27
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	29	42
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	3	.	—	1	1	.	2	.	.	—	15	28
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	3
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Belfast	Sept. 3	4	.	.	.	.	—	13	—	6	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	20	48 <sup>a</sup>
	Sept. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	20	49 <sup>a</sup>
	Sept. 17	4	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	16	32
	Sept. 24	6	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	42
City of Cork	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8 <sup>b</sup>
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
City of Londonderry	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
City of Limerick	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	9
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	20	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	25
City of Waterford	Sept. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.

<sup>b</sup> Not including 2 cases of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 24th September, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 24th September			
	Sept. 3.	Sept. 10.	Sept. 17.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	17	15	20	.	3	.	17
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	2	2	2	8	.	.	10
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	19	22	29	8	3	1	33*
Diphtheria, .. ..	21	26	30	6	7	1	28
Pneumonia, .. ..	8	13	15	5	3	1	16

\* Exclusive of 13 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 24th September, 1921. Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS DISTRICTS.		Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		Total Number of DEATHS.	AGES AT DEATH.						DEATHS FROM													Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.				
				All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†		Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM				Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	
																						Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.							Other.

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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 12.4 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 1.0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 24th September, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	126
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	9
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	25
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	20
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	55
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	17
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	32·0	9
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	12·8	1
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		8
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		6
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		10
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	9·6	5
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		2
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		5
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		.
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		7
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		1
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	17·1	4
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		7
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		4
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		40
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	17



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·6 and 13·0; Dublin Registration Area, 13·8 and 14·2; Dublin City, 14·2 and 14·8; Belfast, 12·0 and 10·8; Cork, 18·4 and 15·6; Londonderry, 11·6 and 14·2; Limerick, 14·9 and 14·5 and Waterford, 11·4 and 12·8.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·6 per 1,000. Among the 97 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from measles, 2 from diphtheria, 8 from diarrhoeal diseases, and one from influenza. The 27 deaths from all causes for Cork include 3 from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 10 deaths from all causes for Londonderry 2 are from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Included in the 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick are 2 from diphtheria; and the 6 deaths recorded for Dundalk include one from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 223—116 boys and 107 girls—and the deaths to 119—50 males and 69 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 7) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the thirty-nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·0 and was 4·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the thirty-nine weeks was 17·5, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·3.

Included in the 112 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from enteric fever, one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and 12 from diarrhoeal diseases. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, 0, and one; and deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 16, 12, and 14. There were no deaths registered from enteric fever or scarlet fever during the preceding 3 weeks.

There were 8 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 3 from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 16, 11, and 20 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

One death by suicide was registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to disseminated tuberculosis, one to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, one to pneumonia, 10 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth, and 8 to congenital debility.

Thirty-five of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 28 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 33 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 24 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 112 deaths recorded, 44 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 1st October, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 11·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 10·8 and for Edinburgh 12·8.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 1st October, 1921, in the DUBLIN Registration Area, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

POPULATION.		REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 1ST OCTOBER, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																																
		BIRTHS					DEATHS.					NUMBERS REGISTERED.					WEEK ENDING 1ST OCTOBER, 1921.																											
		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by					DEATHS.					DEATHS.					Air Temperature.																											
		BIRTHS.					From all Causes.					From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)					Absolute Highest.					Mean Maximum (A).					Mean Minimum (B).					Mean of (A) and (B).					Rainfall in Inches.							
Total (a)		Per- sons to an Acre.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	Under 1 year of Age.		At 5 years and upwards.		Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.		Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respira- tory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)		
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS		...		1,183,268	20.7	25.9	13.6	1.7	587	308	65	78	2	.	.	.	1	1	7	9	.	1	.	.	11	5	9	18	18	28	23	3	14	19	92	8	.	.	.	.	.	.		
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA		...		423,000	30.3	27.5	13.8	2.0	223	112	28	33	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	7	4	8	6	16	16	8	1	1	4	44	.	(d) 67.7	33.4	64.6	40.4	52.5	0.22		
CITY OF DUBLIN		...		324,000	39.7	28.2	14.2	2.1	175	88	23	23	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	1	1	1	1	2	8	.	(e) 64.2	42.9	62.4	48.7	55.5	60.14				
RATHMINES and RATHGAR		...		41,100	24.0	22.8	15.2	2.5	18	12	2	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Pembroke		...		30,800	19.6	28.8	8.5	1.7	17	5	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Blackrock		...		9,806	9.0	21.3	10.6	.	4	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Kingstown		...		17,300	11.8	27.1	15.1	.	9	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Urban Districts.		...		420,000	28.1	25.9	12.0	1.4	209	97	23	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	1	6	6	4	4	6	2	2	10	11	27	.	66.0	40.0	63.5	46.5	55.0	0.00	
Cork		...		76,673	28.6	34.0	18.4	3.4	50	27	6	9	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	6	1	63	48	62.1	53.0	57.6	0.71	
Londonderry		...		45,000	17.4	17.4	11.6	2.3	15	10	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Limerick		...		38,518	16.1	13.5	14.9	2.7	17	11	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Waterford		...		27,464	19.1	19.0	11.4	.	10	6	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Galway		...		13,255	2.5	.	.	.	9	7	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
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Drogheda		...		12,501	8.4	.	.	.	6	3	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Lisburn		...		12,388	10.9	.	.	.	7	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
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Portadown		...		11,727	15.3	.	.	.	6	6	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Wexford		...		11,531	22.8	.	.	.	7	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
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Sligo		...		11,163	3.8	.	.	.	5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Kilkenney		...		10,514	11.4	.	.	.	5	5	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
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EDINBURGH		...		420,281	—	—	12.8	—	181	103	14	31	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
GLASGOW		...		1,034,069	—	—	10.8	—	566	215	42	49	.	.	.	2	4	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 1st OCTOBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 1st OCTOBER, 1921.																				ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.		TOTAL DEATHS.		CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.	
		DEATHS.																																									
		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)								
			FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*		Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.	Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.										
<b>North City.</b>																																											
North City, No. 1, E.	...	31,300	18.3		11	2	2	.	.	.	3	4	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.							
" " 1, W.	...	42,900	12.2	4.9	10	4	1	.	.	2	2	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.							
" " 2	...	28,700	10.9	1.8	6	3	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.							
" " 3	...	35,600	11.7	1.5	8	1	.	2	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	.							
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	...	5,700	18.3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.							
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONRA, part of	...	14,200	7.3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.							
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	...	11,600	18.0	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.								
<b>South City.</b>																																											
South City, No. 1	...	44,900	17.4	.	15	4	.	.	1	2	1	3	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	5	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	.							
" " 2	...	18,900	8.3	.	8	1	1	1	.	.	1	2	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.						
" " 3	...	45,200	11.5	1.2	10	1	1	1	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	.	1	.	.	.	2	4	.	.							
" " 4	...	34,200	24.4	0.1	16	5	.	1	4	1	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	1	2	1	2	1	.	.	.	.	5	1	.	.							
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	10,800	4.8	4.8	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.							
<b>Urban Districts.</b>																																											
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	...	41,100	15.2	2.5	12	2	.	.	.	1	1	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	6	.	2	.	.						
PENBROKE	...	30,800	8.5	1.7	5	1	.	.	.	3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.							
BLACKROCK	...	9,800	10.6	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.							
KINGSTOWN	...	17,300	15.1	.	5	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.							
<b>TOTAL CITY.</b>																																											
North	...	170,000	13.2	2.1	43	12	4	.	2	.	9	6	10	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	4	2	3	4	5	4	.	.	1	17	2	13	5	.	.						
South	...	154,000	15.2	2.0	45	11	1	2	1	6	3	8	13	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	2	5	2	11	4	1	.	.	16	2	10	9	.	.						
North and South	...	324,000	14.2	2.1	88	23	5	2	3	6	12	14	23	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	7	4	8	6	16	8	1	1	1	33	4	23	14	.	.						
Total Urban Districts	...	99,000	12.6	1.6	24	5	.	.	.	1	4	4	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	1	2	2	3	.	.	11	.	11	4	3	.	.						
Total Registration Area	...	423,000	13.8	2.0	112	28	5	2	3	7	16	18	33	2	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	11	5	9	8	18	11	1	1	44	4	27	17	.	.							
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					7	.	.	1	.	3	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	6	1	.	.							

\* See note (f) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 1st October, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	5	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	6	25
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	29	42
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	3	.	—	1	1	.	3	.	.	—	15	28
	Oct. 1	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	4	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	10	27
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Sept. 24	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Kingstown Urban District	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	3
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Sept. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	20	49 <sup>a</sup>
	Sept. 17	4	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	16	.	.	.	16	32
	Sept. 24	6	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	21	42
	Oct. 1	7	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	20	48
City of Cork	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8 <sup>b</sup>
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	10	10
	Oct. 1	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
City of Londonderry	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
City of Limerick	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	9
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	20	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	25	
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	13
City of Waterford	Sept. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

a Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum,      b Not including 2 cases of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 1st October, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 1st October			
	Sept. 10.	Sept. 17.	Sept. 24.	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	19	20	17	2	.	1	18
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	2	2	10	.	1	.	9
Scarlet Fever, ..	22	29	33	10	2	.	41*
Diphtheria, ..	26	30	28	7	2	1	32
Pneumonia, ..	13	15	16	6	1	2	19



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 1st October, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS DISTRICTS.	Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.						DEATHS FROM														No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Inquest Cases.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.				
			All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.	AGES AT DEATH.						DEATHS FROM																			
						Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPI- RATORY SYSTEM				Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	
																					Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.							Other.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	
CITY OF BELFAST.																															
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 District.	15,879	9	19.7	6	56	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 2 do.	49,500	22	20.0	19	6	1	1	4	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 3 do.	50,032	36	15.6	15	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 4 do.	32,637	8	16.0	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 5 do.	16,112	18	3.2	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 6 do.	37,293	18	9.8	14	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 7 do.	2,681	3	8.7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 8 do.	5,964	2	12.8	6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 9 do.	24,427	11	14.4	8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 10 do.	28,958	18	11	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 11 do.	—	17	—	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 12 do.	—	11	—	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 13 do.	—	13	—	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 14 do.	175	12	16.1	7	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 15 do.	22,669	11	—	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 16 do.	—	11	—	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total.	386,947	209	12.0	97	23	8	16	11	24	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CITY OF CORK																															
CORK URBAN No. 1 District.	13,455	4	11.6	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 2 do.	10,399	7	20.1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 3 do.	9,793	8	5.3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 4 do.	9,139	5	34.2	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 5 do.	6,250	3	31.5	7	3	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 6 do.	11,581	10	19.5	6	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Do. 7 do.	16,056	13	18.4	6	4	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Total.	76,673	50	18.4	27	6	4	1	2	5	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,630, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 8.8 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 0.5.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 1st October, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>	397,957	—	119
	<b>CLASSES.</b>			
	<b>DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—</b>			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	3
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	24
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	31
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	43
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	18
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions: Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	10·7	3
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	12·3	2
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		6
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		8
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		8
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	14·9	3
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		5
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		3
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		17
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		1
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	13·4	7
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		2
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		3
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		31
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	18



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# Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns

OF

## BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

AND IN EIGHTEEN OF THE PRINCIPAL URBAN DISTRICTS IN IRELAND.

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DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—BIRTHS.—In the Dublin Registration Area, which consists of the City of Dublin and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Kingstown, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 1st October, 1921, 2,715 births—1,422 boys and 1,293 girls—being equal to an annual rate of 25·7 in every 1,000 of the population.

The number of births recorded for the city was 2,272, equivalent to an annual rate of 28·0 in every 1,000 of the population; and for the urban districts named above, 443, equal to an annual rate of 17·9 in every 1,000 of the population.

During the same period the births in London were equivalent to an annual rate of 22·5 per 1,000 of the population; in Glasgow the birth-rate was 28·0 per 1,000, and in Edinburgh 21·7 per 1,000.

DEATHS.—Omitting the deaths (154) referred to localities outside the Dublin Registration Area the deaths for the Area, numbering 1,599, were equivalent to an annual rate of 15·1 per 1,000 of the estimated population, the average rate for the corresponding period of the previous 10 years being 17·2. The total number of deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter was 1,753—888 males and 865 females—affording an annual ratio of 16·6 in every 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with 18·3 per 1,000 for the third quarter of the ten years, 1911–1920.

The number of deaths of inhabitants\* of the North City districts registered last quarter was 714, representing an annual mortality of 16·8 in every 1,000 of the population; and the number in the South City districts was 578, equivalent to a rate of 15·0 per 1,000. For the urban districts the number of deaths registered was 307, being equal to an annual death-rate of 12·4 in every 1,000.

\* The death-rates referring to the several Dublin districts have been calculated on the mortality for the respective districts as corrected by the distribution of deaths in public institutions according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted.

The deaths among civilians in London during the same period were equivalent to an annual rate of mortality of 10·5 in every 1,000 of the civil population; in Glasgow the death-rate was 12·5 per 1,000 of the total population, and in Edinburgh the annual rate was 11·7 per 1,000.

In 15 instances the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness. Of the 15 cases, 11 (or 73·3 per cent.) were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 134 infants under one month old registered, there were 4 (or 3·0 per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

From Table II., page 338d, it will be seen that the annual rate represented by the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases\* in the Dublin Registration Area was 2·8 per 1,000, that in the City it was 3·3, and in the urban districts 1·3, the rates for the several districts varying from 0·0 in Clontarf and Howth No. 1, part of, to 5·2 for North City, No. 1. West, the 204 deaths from all causes for that district, including 2 from diphtheria, one from dysentery and 52 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

OCCUPATIONS.—In Table IV., page 338f, it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to an annual rate of 18·0 per 1,000 of the persons in that Class according to the Census of 1911; the rate for the "Middle Class" was 13·4 per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was 13·5; and in the "General Service Class" it was 17·7.

AGES.—Of the 1,753 persons whose deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter, 592 were under five years of age, including 480 infants under one year of age, the latter representing a rate of 177 per 1,000 births registered. The number of deaths of children under 5 years of age is equal to an annual mortality of 57·9 in every 1,000 children at that age (according to the Census of 1911), the deaths of persons between the ages of 5 and 15 representing an annual rate of 3·0 per 1,000 persons at that age period; those between the ages of 15 and 25 were equivalent to an annual rate of 5·1 per 1,000, the total number under 25 years being equal to an annual mortality of 15·6 per 1,000 of the population at that age period (according to the Census of 1911); for those between 25 and 45 the rate was 7·7; for those between 45 and 65 it was 24·3; among persons between 65 and 75 the rate was 53·6, and among those aged 75 and upwards the average annual death-rate was 128·0 per 1,000. The deaths of 5 persons (all females) aged 90 years and upwards were registered.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.—Of the 1,753 deaths recorded during the quarter, 783, or 44·7 per cent. occurred in public institutions, viz., 546 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums, 232 in the Dublin Union Workhouse, and 5 (those of persons admitted from within the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

WEATHER.—The mean temperature for thirteen weeks, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park was 58·7°; at Greenwich it was 64·6°; at Glasgow, 57·4°; and at Edinburgh, 57·2°.†

The rainfall at Dublin during the thirteen weeks measured 7·93 inches; at Greenwich it was 2·69 inches, and at Glasgow, 13·11 inches.

#### NINETEEN PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS OF IRELAND.

As shown in Table I., the annual death-rate, represented by the deaths from all causes registered during last quarter in the Dublin Registration Area and eighteen of the principal urban districts of Ireland (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from without the districts), was 13·8 per 1,000 of the population, the respective rates for the several districts being as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest:—Sligo, 7·9; Tralee, 10·1; Lurgan, 10·2; Portadown, 10·6; Clonmel, 11·4; Belfast, 12·3; Londonderry, 12·7; Waterford, 14·1; Drogheda, 14·4; Ballymena, 14·4; Cork, 14·8; Kilkenny, 14·8; Dublin Registration Area, 15·1; Limerick, 15·1; Newry, 15·4; Wexford, 15·6; Lisburn, 15·8; Dundalk, 16·5; and Galway, 20·2.

The annual rate represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases\* in the 19 districts is 2·1 per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from 0·0 in two of the districts to 3·7 in Dundalk, the 54 deaths from all causes for that district, including 2 from enteric fever, one each from whooping-cough and diphtheria and 8 from diarrhoeal diseases. The 1,288 deaths from all causes for Belfast include one from enteric fever, 3 from measles, one from scarlet fever, 16 from whooping-cough, 7 from diphtheria, 155 from diarrhoeal diseases, and 4 from influenza.

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS.—The annual death-rate from pulmonary tuberculosis for the 19 towns in the aggregate was 1·42 per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the Dublin Registration Area it was 1·49 per 1,000; for Belfast county borough 1·25 per 1,000, and for the urban districts collectively (not including Dublin Registration Area and Belfast, it was 1·53.

\* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

† Eleven weeks.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS Registered during the **Quarter** (13 weeks) **ended Saturday, 1st October, 1921**, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the undermentioned Eighteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other districts), the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		REGISTRATION—QUARTER (13 WEEKS) ENDED SATURDAY, 1ST OCTOBER, 1921.														NUMBERS REGISTERED.						
		Total.*	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS	From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	TOTAL NUMBER.	At 65 Years and upwards.	Under 1 year of Age.	CAUSED BY														Diseases of the Respiratory System.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti-tutions.	No. of Uncertified Deaths.			
										Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 5 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.					
																		Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.								
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS		1,183,268	20.7	25.1	13.8	2.1	7,425	4,082	969	940	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	419	115	270	182	236	506	39	192	202	1,293	116		
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA		420,000	28.1	25.2	12.3	1.7	2,643	1,388	262	255	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	131	38	85	67	63	136	19	71	75	349	23		
CITY OF DUBLIN		76,673	28.6	22.8	14.8	1.6	437	284	43	78	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	28	10	11	8	14	23	5	12	12	100	3		
RAHEMINE AND RAHEGAR		45,000	17.4	28.4	12.7	2.2	319	143	33	29	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	4	9	4	13	5	5	4	4	13	4		
RAHEMINE AND RAHEGAR		38,518	16.1	25.6	15.1	2.5	247	145	32	29	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	3	8	6	13	19	1	8	6	55	23		
WATERFORD		27,464	19.1	19.5	14.1	2.3	134	97	19	24	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11	3	6	3	3	14	1	5	4	40	3		
DUBLIN		13,255	25.5	30.5	20.2	0.9	101	67	13	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	16	3	1	1	2	7	1	7	2	16	9		
DUBLIN		13,128	27.7	27.7	16.5	3.7	91	54	5	17	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	5	2	7	1	2	5	6	4	4	
DUBLIN		12,553	14.7	26.1	10.2	0.3	82	32	2	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	3	2	2	1	1	—	2	2	9	—	2	
DUBLIN		12,501	8.4	20.5	14.4	0.3	64	45	5	20	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	4	5	4	1	5	—	1	7	14	3	3	
DUBLIN		12,388	10.9	24.2	15.8	1.0	75	49	10	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	5	4	2	—	—	—	8	4	8	3	
DUBLIN		11,963	17.0	22.1	15.4	2.7	66	46	5	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	2	3	1	2	3	—	1	2	4	3	3	
DUBLIN		11,727	15.3	30.4	10.6	1.4	89	31	6	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	3	
DUBLIN		11,531	22.8	24.6	15.6	1.7	71	45	10	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	4	3	2	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	3	3
DUBLIN		11,381	9.3	25.3	14.4	0.7	72	41	8	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	3	3
DUBLIN		11,165	18.6	18.6	7.9	—	52	22	1	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	3	4	3	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	3	3
DUBLIN		10,514	11.4	19.4	14.8	—	51	39	7	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	1	3	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	3	3
DUBLIN		10,300	17.4	20.6	10.1	0.4	53	26	3	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	3	3
DUBLIN		10,209	7.8	24.7	11.4	1.2	63	29	6	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	4	3	3

\* According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Districts comprising the Dublin Registration Area, and for the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the Population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921.

† See note (\*) on page 338b.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, QUARTER (13 WEEKS) ENDED SATURDAY, 1ST OCTOBER, 1921.

\* See note (\*) on page 338b.



TABLE III.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended 1st October, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted ; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases, the Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS ; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES ; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

## DEATHS.

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\*The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (\*) on page 338b.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.  
† See note (\*) on page 338b.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100 620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 11·5 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 1·5.

TABLE IV.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 1st October, 1921; and the Annual Deathrate represented by the Deaths registered.

Class.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. [The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.]	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.
	<b>ALL PERSONS</b> .. .. .	397,957	—	1,753
	<b>CLASSES.</b> Deaths in Families of the—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. .. .. .	14,658	—	66
II.	MIDDLE CLASS .. .. .	101,798	—	342
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS .. .. .	108,420	—	366
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS .. .. .	167,479	—	742
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES .. .. .	5,602	—	237
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions: Naval and Military Officers and Heads of Public Departments .. .. . 2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class .. .. . 3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described .. .. .	7,868 1,347 5,443	18·0	56 4 6
II.	MIDDLE CLASS 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, &c. .. .. . 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c. .. .. . 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants .. .. . 7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities, not included in above .. .. .	9,523 25,199 33,249 33,827	13·4	24 71 109 138
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS. 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers .. .. . 9. Building and Furnishing Trades .. .. . 10. Clothing Trades .. .. . 11. Food Supply Trades .. .. . 12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades .. .. . 13. Petty Shopkeepers .. .. .	11,777 28,823 20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772	13·5	38 80 47 20 163 18
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery, and Prison Services, &c. .. .. . 15. Domestic Servants .. .. . 16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c. .. .. . 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c. .. .. .	12,977 36,041 15,380 103,081	17·7	96 76 55 515
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates .. .. .	5,602	—	237

TABLE V.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the QUARTER (13 weeks) ENDED SATURDAY, 1st October, 1921.

DISEASES.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter.	No. admitted during quarter.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment on above date.
ENTERIC FEVER, ...	5	29	15	1	18
TYPHUS, ...	1	.	1	.	.
SMALL-POX, ...	.	.	.	.	.
MEASLES, ...	2	28	21	.	9
SCARLET FEVER, ...	30	113	98	4	41*
DIPHTHERIA, ...	40	84	85	7	32
PNEUMONIA, ...	17	61	49	10	19

\* Exclusive of 13 patients in Beneavin, the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 12·2 and 13·0 ; Dublin Registration Area, 13·2 and 13·5 ; Dublin City, 13·8 and 14·0 ; Belfast, 12·9 and 11·6 ; Cork, 10·9 and 17·0 ; Londonderry, 10·4 and 12·8 ; Limerick, 9·5 and 13·2 and Waterford, 7·6 and 10·9.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·1 per 1,000. Among the 194 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 8 from diarrhoeal diseases, and 2 from influenza. The 16 deaths from all causes for Cork include 2 from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Included in the 7 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from diphtheria, and among the 4 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is one from enteric fever.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 201—94 boys and 107 girls—and the deaths to 123—58 males and 65 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·9 and was 4·9 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty weeks was 17·5, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·2.

Included in the 107 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from enteric fever, one from diphtheria, and 8 from diarrhoeal diseases. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from enteric fever were 0, 0, and 2 ; deaths from diphtheria were 0, one, and one ; and deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 12, 14, and 12.

There were 9 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 5 from broncho-pneumonia and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 11, 20, and 16 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 11 by organic diseases of the heart, and 11 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were recorded ; there was one death (that of an infant) by homicide, and one death by suicide was also registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to disseminated tuberculosis, 2 to convulsions, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 6 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 6 to congenital debility.

Thirty of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 23 being infants under one year, of whom 5 were under one month old, and 26 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 107 deaths recorded, 83 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 8th October, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 11·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·6 and for Edinburgh 12·2.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.





TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 8TH OCTOBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*: with the mortality from some of the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY												IN INSTITUTIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.																		
		FROM ALL CAUSES		Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.		Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.			
		FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN CAUSES																			Pneumonia.	Other.													
			(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)		(16)	(17)	(18)			(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
COLS.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	
North City.																																				
North City, No. 1, E.	...	31,300	20.0	6.7	12	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 1, W.	...	42,900	9.7	1.8	10	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 2	...	28,700	18.2	1.5	12	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 3	...	35,600	17.6	1.5	12	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	...	5,700	9.1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	...	14,200	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	...	11,600	4.5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
South City.																																				
South City, No. 1	...	44,900	15.1	1.2	13	3	1	1	1	2	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 2	...	18,900	8.3	...	3	1	1	1	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 3	...	45,200	11.5	1.2	10	1	1	1	3	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 4	...	34,200	19.8	1.5	13	5	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	10,800	14.5	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Urban Districts.																																				
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	...	41,100	14.0	1.3	11	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
PEMBROKE	...	30,800	8.5	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
BLACKROCK	...	9,800	5.3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
KINGSTOWN	...	17,300	12.1	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
TOTAL CITY.	North	170,000	13.5	1.8	44	12	1	1	1	5	7	10	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	6	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	South	154,000	14.2	1.0	42	9	4	1	4	3	4	8	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	1	2	7	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	North and South	324,000	13.8	1.4	86	21	5	5	11	18	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	2	5	11	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Urban Districts	...	99,000	11.1	0.5	21	2	...	...	...	...	4	1	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total Registration Area	...	423,000	13.2	1.2	107	23	5	2	7	10	15	19	26	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	2	7	9	13	7	1	5	47	5	18	15	16	...	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					16	2	...	...	1	1	1	10	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 8th October, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin.	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	3	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	29	42
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	15	28
	Oct. 1	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	4	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	10	27
	Oct. 8	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	3	.	—	.	1	.	3	.	.	—	7	29
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District.	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	3
	Sept. 24	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District.	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District.	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District.	Sept. 17	1	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	3
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Belfast.	Sept. 17	4	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	16	32
	Sept. 24	6	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	42
	Oct. 1	7	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	20	48
	Oct. 8	13	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	9	2	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	21	64 <sup>a</sup>
City of Cork.	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	8 <sup>b</sup>
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Oct. 1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	Oct. 8	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	18	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	21 <sup>c</sup>
City of Londonderry.	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
City of Limerick.	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	20	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1	25
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	13
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	17	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	21
City of Waterford.	Sept. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

a Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum, b Not including 2 cases of varicella, c Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 8th October, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 8th October.			
	Sept. 17.	Sept. 24.	Oct. 1	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever.	20	17	18	2	7	.	13
Typhus.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles.	2	10	9	.	2	.	7
Scarlet Fever.	29	33	41	4	3	.	42*
Diphtheria.	30	28	32	11	9	1	33
Pneumonia.	15	16	19	4	5	.	18

\* Exclusive of 11 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 8th October, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from *without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS DISTRICTS.	Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.												DEATHS FROM												Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
			All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.						5 and under 25 years.						25 and under 45 years.						45 and under 65 years.									65 years and upwards.						Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPI- RATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																											
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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 11.4 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 1.0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 8th October, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	123
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	1
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	28
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	25
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	54
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	15
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ... 2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... .. 3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	7,868 1,347 5,443	3·6	1 . .
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ... 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... .. 7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	9,523 25,199 33,249 33,827	14·3	1 4 8 15
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... .. 9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... .. 10. Clothing Trades ... .. 11. Food Supply Trades ... .. 12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... .. 13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	11,777 28,823 20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772	12·0	5 5 4 1 10 .
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ... 15. Domestic Servants ... .. 16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... .. 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	12,977 36,041 15,380 103,081	16·8	9 2 4 39
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	15



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 11·6 and 13·0; Dublin Registration Area, 12·5 and 13·3; Dublin City, 13·4 and 13·9; Belfast, 10·1 and 11·9; Cork, 13·6 and 15·2; Londonderry, 16·2 and 15·3; Limerick, 14·9 and 14·5 and Waterford, 11·4 and 10·9.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. Among the 81 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from scarlet fever, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, one from influenza and one from cerebro-spinal meningitis. The 20 deaths from all causes for Cork include 4 from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 14 deaths from all causes for Londonderry 2 are from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age. Included in the 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick are one from scarlet fever, 4 from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and among the 4 deaths from all causes for Ballymena is one from scarlet fever.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 232—121 boys and 111 girls—and the deaths to 110—54 males and 56 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 9) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·5 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·8 and was 5·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-one weeks was 17·4, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·2.

Included in the 101 deaths appertaining to the Area are 10 from diarrhoeal diseases and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 14, 12 and 8, and deaths from influenza one, 0, and 0.

There were 11 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 6 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 12 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 20, 16, and 16 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Six accidental deaths were recorded of which one (that of a child under one year) was caused by burns. Two deaths by suicide were also registered.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 10 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, one to premature birth, and 4 to congenital debility.

Twenty-eight of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 24 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 17 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 15 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 101 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 15th October, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·3) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·5 and for Edinburgh 10·3.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 15th October, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 13 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncoertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 15TH OCTOBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 15TH OCTOBER, 1921.

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\* See note (+) at foot of first page.)

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 15th October, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	2	3	.	—	1	1	.	2	.	.	—	15	28
	Oct. 1	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	4	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	10	27
	Oct. 8	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	3	.	—	.	1	.	3	.	.	—	7	29
	Oct. 15	1	1	.	.	.	—	14	—	3	3	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	2	34
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Sept. 24	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Sept. 24	6	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	6	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	42	
	Oct. 1	7	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	20	48	
	Oct. 8	13	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	9	2	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	21	64 <sup>a</sup>	
	Oct. 15	17	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	8	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	20	60 <sup>a</sup>	
City of Cork	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Oct. 1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	Oct. 8	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	18	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	21 <sup>b</sup>
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	16	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	18
City of Londonderry	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
City of Limerick	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	20	—	3	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	25
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	13
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	17	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	21
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	18
City of Waterford	Sept. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum, <sup>b</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 15th October, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 15th October.			
	Sept. 24.	Oct. 1	Oct. 8.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	17	18	13	2	4	.	11
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	1	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, ... ..	10	9	7	3	3	.	7
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	33	41	42	13	2	.	53*
Diphtheria, .. ..	28	32	33	11	6	1	37
Pneumonia, .. ..	16	19	18	11	5	3	21

\* Exclusive of 5 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 15th October, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain Accidents, the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES: the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

DEATHS.																																	
CITIES AND REGISTRARS DISTRICTS.			Population in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from			AGES AT DEATH.						DEATHS FROM														No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.				
					All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.	Under 1 year.						Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM				Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 15 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.
								(1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	(12)										(13)	(14)		(15)	(16)						
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)			
CITY OF BELFAST.																																	
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 District.	15,879	14	16.4	3.3	5	14	4	12	13	24	14	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4	3	7	7	4	.	9	9	20	1		
Do. 2 do.	49,500	27	9.5	.	9	.	2	1	1	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 3 do.	50,032	26	8.3	1.0	8	1	1	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 4 do.	32,637	16	17.6	3.2	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 5 do.	16,112	11	12.9	7.0	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 6 do.	37,293	16	7.0	.	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 7 do.	2,881	1	58.3	.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 8 do.	5,964	5	10.7	.	5	2	2	2	2	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 9 do.	24,427	20	9.0	.	5	2	2	2	2	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 10 do.	28,958	16	10.7	.	5	2	2	2	2	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 11 do.	—	16	—	—	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 12 do.	—	18	—	—	6	2	2	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 13 do.	—	7	—	—	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 14 do.	175	15	11.5	2.3	5	2	2	2	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 15 do.	22,669	16	—	—	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 16 do.	—	16	—	—	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Total,	386,947	224	10.1	0.7	81	14	4	12	13	24	14	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	3	3	7	7	4	.	9	9	20	1		
CITY OF CORK.																																	
CORK URBAN No. 1 District.	13,455	7	11.6	5.0	3	11.6	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 2 do.	10,399	6	15.0	5.0	3	11.6	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 3 do.	9,793	6	16.0	16.0	3	11.6	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 4 do.	9,139	4	17.1	5.7	3	11.6	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 5 do.	6,250	2	8.3	.	1	11.6	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 6 do.	11,581	5	13.5	3.2	3	11.6	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Do. 7 do.	16,056	9	13.0	3.2	4	11.6	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Total,	76,673	39	13.6	4.1	20	5	3	3	1	3	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 10·9 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 0·5.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 15th October, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	110
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	3
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	27
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	18
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	52
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	10
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	10·7	3
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	12·8	2
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		8
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		7
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		10
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	8·7	1
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		2
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		4
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		.
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		11
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		.
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	16·2	6
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		4
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		6
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		36
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	10



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·0 and 12·6; Dublin Registration Area, 11·7 and 12·8; Dublin City, 12·6 and 13·5; Belfast, 14·0 and 12·3; Cork, 10·2 and 12·5; Londonderry, 9·3 and 11·9; Limerick, 27·1 and 16·9 and Waterford, 11·4 and 10·5.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 113 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 2 from diphtheria, and 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Of the 8 deaths from all causes for Londonderry one is from influenza. Included in the 20 deaths from all causes for Limerick are one from diphtheria and 2 from diarrhoeal diseases, and among the 5 deaths from all causes for Ballymena is one from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 185—102 boys and 83 girls—and the deaths to 105—54 males and 51 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 10) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·7 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·7 and was 5·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-two weeks was 17·3, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·2.

Included in the 95 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from diphtheria, 12 from diarrhoeal diseases and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, one, and 0; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 12, 8 and 10; and deaths from influenza 0, 0, and one.

There were 7 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, 2 from lobar pneumonia and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 10 deaths (including 8 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from abdominal tuberculosis) as against 16, 16, and 16 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 5 by organic diseases of the heart, and 3 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were recorded of which one (that of a child aged 2 years) was caused by scalds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, one to influenza, one to convulsions, 2 to broncho-pneumonia, 7 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 6 to premature birth, and 2 to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 22 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 95 deaths recorded, 46 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 22nd October, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 10·8 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·6 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·4 and for Edinburgh 13·8.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



TABLE 1.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 22nd October, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		BIRTHS		NUMBERS REGISTERED.												METEOROLOGY. (c)												
		Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	From all Causes.		From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		DEATHS.												WEEK ENDING 22ND OCTOBER, 1921.										
														Caused by																						
														Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.		Cancer.			Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis in children under 5 years of age.	Diphtheria, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Air Temperature.
Tuber-culosis.	Other Forms.	Pneumonia.	Other.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Rainfall in Inches.																											
COLS.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	(35)
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS ...		1,183,268	20·7	23·4	13·0	1·3	531	296	56	72	1	.	.	.	.	.	6	.	2	25	12	14	23	26	20	3	12	13	101	8	.	.	.	.	.	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA ...		423,000	30·3	22·8	11·7	1·7	185	95	25	22	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	8	2	5	7	5	10	2	3	1	46	.	(d) 68·8	30·2	61·2	41·3	51·0	9
CITY OF DUBLIN		324,000	39·7	24·0	12·6	2·1	149	78	24	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	7	2	4	4	3	10	1	2	1	41	.	(e) 65·8	38·9	59·8	48·1	54·0	93
RATHMINES and RATHGAR ...		41,100	24·0	10·1	3·8	.	8	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	(f) 66·8	34·0	60·6	44·0	52·3	96
Pembroke ...		30,800	19·6	30·5	10·2	.	18	6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Blackrock ...		9,800	9·0	16·0	5·3	.	3	1	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Kingstown ...		17,300	11·8	21·1	21·1	3·0	7	7	1	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Urban Districts.																																				
Belfast ...		420,000	28·1	25·0	14·0	1·2	201	113	22	28	1	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	10	5	4	11	12	7	7	7	9	28	1	64	40	60·8	50·0	55·4	63
Cork ...		76,673	28·6	29·2	10·2	0·7	43	15	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	63	42	59·9	52·4	50·7	75
Londonderry ...		45,000	17·4	27·8	9·3	.	24	8	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Limerick ...		38,518	16·1	19·0	27·1	4·1	14	20	3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	2	1	2	1	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Waterford ...		27,464	19·1	19·0	11·4	.	10	6	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Galway ...		13,255	2·5	19·0	11·4	.	7	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Dundalk ...		13,128	9·5	14·7	11·4	.	2	2	3	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Lurgan ...		12,553	14·7	11·4	11·4	.	9	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Drogheda ...		12,501	8·4	10·9	11·4	.	8	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Lisburn ...		12,388	10·9	17·0	9·3	.	3	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Newry ...		11,963	17·0	15·3	11·4	.	5	5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Portadown ...		11,727	15·3	22·8	11·4	.	4	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Wexford ...		11,531	22·8	11·4	11·4	.	2	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Ballymena ...		11,381	9·3	11·4	11·4	.	1	5	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Sligo ...		11,163	3·8	11·4	11·4	.	5	5	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Kilkeny ...		10,514	11·4	11·4	11·4	.	2	2	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Tralee ...		10,300	17·4	11·4	11·4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
Clonmel ...		10,209	7·8	11·4	11·4	.	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	
LONDON ...		4,531,971	—	—	11·5	—	1,944	996	170	322	1	.	.	4	9	8	28	.	.	91	18	118	59	57	61	11	35	83	533	.	.	.	.	.	.	
EDINBURGH ...		420,281	—	—	13·8	—	194	111	17	36	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	63·6	35·3	55·1	48·9	52·0	1·70
GLASGOW ...		1,034,069	—	—	12·4	—	590	246g	42	53	.	.	.	.	.	3	2	6	.	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	12	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.



**TABLE II.**—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 22ND OCTOBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 22ND OCTOBER, 1921.

## DEATHS.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY																IN INSTITUTIONS.																																																																					
			FROM ALL CAUSES	(3)		(1)	(2)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	Tuberculosis.		Influenza.	Dysentery.	Diphtheria.	Whooping-cough.	Scarlet Fever.	Measles.	Typhus.	Enteric Fever.	65 and upwards.	45 and under 65.	25 and under 45.	15 and under 25.	5 and under 15.	2 and under 5.	1 and under 2.	Under 1 year.	65 and upwards.	45 and under 65.	25 and under 45.	15 and under 25.	5 and under 15.	2 and under 5.	1 and under 2.	Under 1 year.	Total Deaths.	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)							
																										Pneumonia.	Other.																																																										Diarrhea and enteritis of children under 2 years.	Diphtheria, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.

| North City. | | 31,300 | 21.7 | 5.0 | 13 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 |  |

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 22nd October, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 1	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	4	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	10	27
	Oct. 8	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	3	.	—	.	1	.	3	.	.	—	7	29
	Oct. 15	1	1	.	.	.	—	14	—	7	3	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	2	34
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	6	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	25	42
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	2
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Belfast	Oct. 1	7	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	20	48
	Oct. 8	13	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	9	2	1	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	21	64a
	Oct. 15	17	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	8	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	20	60a
	Oct. 22	5	.	.	.	.	—	24	—	11	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	28	72
City of Cork	Oct. 1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	9
	Oct. 8	2	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	18	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	21b
	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	16	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	18
	Oct. 22	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	15	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	18
City of Londonderry	Oct. 1	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Oct. 8	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.
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a Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum. b Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 22nd October, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 22nd October.			
	Oct. 1	Oct. 8.	Oct. 15	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	18	13	11	2	2	.	11
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	1	.	.	.	1
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	9	7	7	2	1	.	8
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	41	42	53	10	11	.	52*
Diphtheria, .. ..	32	33	37	6	2	2	39
Pneumonia, .. ..	19	18	21	4	3	1	21



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 22nd October, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons *admitted from without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS: the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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† The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 11·4 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 1·0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 22nd October, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	105
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	4
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	21
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	24
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	33
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	17
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	14·2	4
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	10·8	2
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		.
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		4
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		15
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	11·5	4
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		5
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		3
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		10
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		.
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	12·1	1
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		3
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		2
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		33
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	17



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 11·0 and 12·7 ; Dublin Registration Area, 13·3 and 12·7 ; Dublin City, 13·5 and 13·3 ; Belfast, 15·6 and 13·1 ; Cork, 15·0 and 11·7 ; Londonderry, 7·0 and 10·7 ; Limerick, 12·2 and 15·9 and Waterford, 11·4 and 10·5.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·5 per 1,000. Among the 126 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 11 from diarrhoeal diseases, 4 from influenza, and one from cerebro-spinal meningitis. Of the 22 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from diphtheria, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Included in the 5 deaths from all causes for Wexford is one from scarlet fever, and among the 7 deaths from all causes for Sligo is one from influenza.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 232—115 boys and 117 girls—and the deaths to 119—61 males and 58 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 13·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-three weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·7 and was 5·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-three weeks was 17·2, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·1.

Included in the 108 deaths appertaining to the Area are 2 from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, one from whooping-cough, one from diphtheria, 9 from diarrhoeal diseases and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, 0, and 2; deaths from diarrhoeal diseases were 8, 10 and 12 ; and deaths from influenza 0, one and one. There were no deaths from measles, scarlet fever or whooping-cough registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 5 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, and 3 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 10 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 16, 16, and 10 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Six deaths were caused by cancer, 7 by organic diseases of the heart, and 10 by bronchitis.

Four accidental deaths were recorded, of which one was caused by burns and 3 were by vehicles.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 8 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and 3 to congenital debility.

Thirty-two of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 6 were under one month old, and 32 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 22 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 108 deaths recorded, 39 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 29th October, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 11·0) was equal to an average annual death rate of 11·0 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.

TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 26th October, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Marke's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 29TH OCTOBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 29TH OCTOBER, 1921.																																	
DEATHS.																																	
REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	COLS.	ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																		In Insti- tutions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.								
			FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPI- DEMIC DISEASES*	TOTAL DEATHS.																		In Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse									
					DISEASES OF RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.																												
					Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Cancer.		Pneumonia.	Other.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons, and Lunatic Asylums.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 29th October, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 8	2						5		8	3				1		3				7	29
	Oct. 15	1	1					14		7							6				2	34
	Oct. 22							6		6	3						3				5	42
	Oct. 29	2						4		4	2						2				12	26
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 8																					
	Oct. 15																					
	Oct. 22							6														6
	Oct. 29																					
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 8						1	1		1	1											4
	Oct. 15							2														2
	Oct. 22							4														4
	Oct. 29																					
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 8																					
	Oct. 15																					
	Oct. 22							1														1
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Kingstown Urban District	Oct. 8							1														1
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	Oct. 22									1												1
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City of Belfast	Oct. 8	13						16		9	2	1					1				21	64 <sup>a</sup>
	Oct. 15	17						12		8	2										20	60 <sup>a</sup>
	Oct. 22	5						24		11	2	1								1	28	72
	Oct. 29	3		1				21		17		1					2	1			20	66
City of Cork	Oct. 8	2					1			18												21 <sup>b</sup>
	Oct. 15							1		16	1											18
	Oct. 22	1								15	2											18
	Oct. 29									7												7
City of Londonderry	Oct. 8																					
	Oct. 15							2														2
	Oct. 22							2														2
	Oct. 29							5														5
City of Limerick	Oct. 8							4		17												21
	Oct. 15							6		12												18
	Oct. 22							1		11												12
	Oct. 29									8												8
City of Waterford	Oct. 8																					
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<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.    <sup>b</sup> Not including one case of varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 29th October, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 29th October.			
	Oct. 8	Oct. 15.	Oct. 22	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	13	11	11	2	1	.	12
Typhus, .. ..	.	1	1	.	.	1	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	7	7	8	1	6	.	3
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	42	53	52	21	5	2	66*
Diphtheria, .. ..	33	37	39	6	6	2	37
Pneumonia, .. ..	18	21	21	4	4	2	19

\* Exclusive of 6 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 29th October, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons *admitted from without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS: the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to one minute of one year 1921. The rates for the total of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 14·5 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 1·0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 29th October, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	119
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	4
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	22
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	25
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	54
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	14
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	14·2	4
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	11·3	1
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		5
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		4
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		12
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	12·0	3
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		6
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		1
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		1
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		14
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		.
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	16·8	6
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		8
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		2
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		38
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	14



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·4 and 13·0; Dublin Registration Area, 11·2 and 12·2; Dublin City, 10·8 and 12·6; Belfast, 15·0 and 13·7; Cork, 15·0 and 12·7; Londonderry, 10·4 and 10·7; Limerick, 23·0 and 19·3, and Waterford, 9·5 and 10·9.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·7 per 1,000. Among the 121 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from diphtheria and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick include 2 from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 164—96 boys and 68 girls—and the deaths to 99—41 males and 58 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 8) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 11·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-four weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·6 and was 5·2 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-four weeks was 17·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·2.

Included in the 91 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria and 6 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 0, 2 and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 10, 10 and 9.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 7 deaths (including 5 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 2 from tuberculous meningitis) as against 16, 10, and 12 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eleven deaths were caused by cancer, 6 by organic diseases of the heart, and 7 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were recorded, of which 2 were caused by burns or scalds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to convulsions, one to broncho-pneumonia, 6 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 8 to congenital debility.

Twenty-seven of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 8 were under one month old, and 23 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 17 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 91 deaths recorded, 41 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 5th November, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 10·8) was equal to an average annual death rate of 11·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 13·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 13·5 and for Edinburgh 11·2

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 5th November, 1921, in the DUBLIN Registration Area, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS.		BIRTHS.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by BIRTHS.		Total Number.		Total Number.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		CAUSED BY															Absolute Highest.		Absolute Lowest.		Mean Maximum (A).		Mean Minimum (B).		Mean of (A) and (B).		Rainfall in Inches.						
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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimates shown for London relate to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including 2 deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis.



WEEK ENDED SATURDAY 5TH NOVEMBER, 1921.																																
DEATHS.																																
REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.	CAUSED BY																	IN INSTITUTIONS.												
			TOTAL DEATHS.																	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse.											
			Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Bacterial Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Influenza.	Tuberculosis.			Cancer.	Diseases of Respiratory System.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.				
FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)
North City.																																
North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	10.0	3.6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
" " 1, W.	42,900	18.2	1.8	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
" " 2	28,700	3.6	1.8	15	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
" " 3	35,600	5.9	1.8	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CLOUTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	18.3	1.8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	7.3	1.8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	4.5	1.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
South City.																																
South City, No. 1	44,900	9.3	2.8	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
" " 2	18,900	8.3	2.8	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
" " 3	45,200	12.7	1.8	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
" " 4	34,200	16.8	1.8	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	9.7	4.8	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Urban Districts.																																
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	12.7	1.3	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
PENBROKE	30,800	15.2	1.3	9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
BLACKROCK	9,800	10.6	1.3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
KINGSTOWN	17,300	9.0	1.3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
TOTAL	170,000	9.8	1.2	32	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
CITY.	154,000	11.9	0.7	35	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
North and South	324,000	10.8	1.0	67	19	2	4	2	3	7	17	13	6	10	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Urban Districts	99,000	12.6	0.5	21	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Total Registration Area	423,000	11.2	0.9	91	21	2	4	4	4	10	23	23	1	1	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).			8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

\* See note (+) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 5th November, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrheal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 15	1	1	.	.	.	—	14	—	7	3	.	—	.	.	.	6	.	.	—	2	34
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	6	2	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	25	42
	Oct. 29	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	12	26
	Nov. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	5	.	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	—	7	30
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Oct. 15	17	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	8	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	20	60 <sup>a</sup>
	Oct. 22	5	.	.	.	.	—	24	—	11	2	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	28	72
	Oct. 29	3	.	1	.	.	—	21	—	17	.	1	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	20	66
	Nov. 5	4	.	.	.	.	—	23	—	13	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	15	60
City of Cork	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	16	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	18
	Oct. 22	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	15	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	18
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Nov. 5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
City of Londonderry	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	2
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	7
City of Limerick	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	18
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	11	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	12
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
City of Waterford	Oct. 15	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

<sup>a</sup> Including one case of ophthalmia neonatorum.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 5th November, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 5th November.			
	Oct. 18.	Oct. 22	Oct. 29	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	11	11	12	2	.	.	14
Typhus,	1	1	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	7	8	3	6	.	.	9
Scarlet Fever,	53	52	66	19	16	.	69*
Diphtheria,	37	39	37	15	7	1	44
Pneumonia,	21	21	19	3	3	.	19



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 5th November, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from *without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of next page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 18·7 per 1,000; and from certain epidemic diseases 0·0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 5th November, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>	397,957	—	99
	<b>CLASSES.</b>			
	<b>DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—</b>			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	6
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	21
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	15
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	44
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	13
I.	<b>PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.</b>			
	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	21·3	6
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class— ...	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	<b>MIDDLE CLASS.</b>			
	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	10·8	4
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ...	25,199		9
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		3
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		5
III.	<b>ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS</b>			
	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	7·2	3
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		1
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		1
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		.
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		10
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		.
IV.	<b>GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.</b>			
	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	13·7	6
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		4
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		5
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		29
V.	<b>INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.</b>			
	18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	13



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population :—

Nineteen Town Districts, 14·1 and 13·6 ; Dublin Registration Area, 12·3 and 12·1 ; Dublin City, 11·7 and 12·2 ; Belfast, 14·0 and 14·6 ; Cork, 17·7 and 14·5 ; Londonderry, 12·7 and 9·9 ; Limerick, 14·9 and 19·3, and Waterford, 15·2 and 11·9.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·8 per 1,000. Among the 113 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from whooping cough, one from diphtheria and 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. Included in the 26 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Of the 11 deaths from all causes for Limerick, one is from scarlet fever, one from influenza, and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years. Included in the 5 deaths from all causes for Dundalk is one from diphtheria. Of the 6 deaths from all causes for Newry one is from enteric fever, and one of the 5 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from whooping-cough.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 197—86 boys and 111 girls—and the deaths to 116—57 males and 59 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 16) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 12·3 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-five weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·5 and was 5·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-five weeks was 17·0, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·2.

Included in the 100 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, one from influenza, and one from cerebro-spinal meningitis. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were 2, one and one, deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 10, 9 and 6, and deaths from influenza one, one and 0. There were no deaths from cerebro-spinal meningitis registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 3 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 12 deaths (including 6 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 5 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 10, 12, and 7 in the 3 weeks preceding.

Five deaths were caused by cancer, 8 by organic diseases of the heart, and 8 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were recorded, and there was one case of infanticide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to venereal disease, one to convulsions, 2 were due to broncho-pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 3 to premature birth, and 5 to congenital debility.

Nineteen of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 30 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 100 deaths recorded, 33 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 12th November, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 12·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 12·9 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 12·6 and for Edinburgh 11·7



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 12th November, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 15 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		CAUSED BY DEATHS.															BIRTHS		DEATHS.															WEEK ENDING 12TH NOVEMBER, 1921.					METEOROLOGY. (c)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
		Total (a)	Per-sons to an Acre.	DEATHS.		From all Causes.		From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER.	TOTAL NUMBER.	Under 1 year of Age.															At 65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Pulmonary.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.	Absolute Highest.	Absolute Lowest.	Mean Maximum (A).	Mean Minimum (B).	Mean of (A) and (B).	Rainfall in Inches.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
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TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS		1,183,268	20.7	25.4	14.1	0.8	577	321	48	98	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	4	.	2	28	12	20	22	33	10	.	7	6	109	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.

(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimates shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (f) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markees for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 12TH NOVEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 12TH NOVEMBER, 1921.

## DEATHS.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	COLS.	ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING BY DEATHS.		TOTAL DEATHS.	CAUSED BY													IN INSTI- TUTIONS.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.														
			FROM TAIN ALL CAUSES	FROM CER- TAIN EPI- DEMIC Dis- EASES*		Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.		Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	IN INSTI- TUTIONS.	
																								Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.	Other.						In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
North City.					11	2	.	2	2	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	3	1	3	1	.	
North City, No. 1, E.	...	31,300	18.3	3.3	11	2	.	.	2	2	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	3	1	.	1	3	1	3	1	.
" " 1, W.	...	42,900	18.2	1.8	15	4	.	.	1	1	3	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	12	.	.	4	5	.	2	5	.
" " 2	...	28,700	10.9	.	6	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	1	1	1	1	.
" " 3	...	35,600	13.2	.	9	2	1	.	.	.	2	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	...	5,700	9.1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	...	14,200	5.1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	...	11,600	4.5	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
South City.					8	1	.	1	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	5	.	
South City, No. 1	...	44,900	9.3	.	8	1	.	1	2	.	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	5	.
" " 2	...	18,900	13.8	1.2	5	3	.	.	.	1	4	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	2	1	.
" " 3	...	45,200	6.9	.	6	3	.	.	1	1	1	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	1	.
" " 4	...	34,200	16.8	.	11	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	.	1	.
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Urban Districts.					10	.	.	1	2	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	2	.	.	
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	...	41,100	12.7	.	10	.	.	1	2	1	1	5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	.	1	.	.
PENBROKE	...	30,800	13.5	.	8	.	.	1	2	1	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	.	1	.	.
BLACKROCK	...	9,800	26.6	.	5	1	.	.	.	.	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	1	.	.
KINGSTOWN	...	17,300	12.1	.	4	1	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	1	.	.
TOTAL CITY.	North	170,000	13.2	0.9	43	9	1	3	1	6	10	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	3	3	1	.	7	2	.	1	25	1	7	7	.	
	South	154,000	10.2	0.3	30	7	.	2	2	1	12	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	4	2	1	.	.	.	18	1	8	7	.
	North and South	324,000	11.7	0.6	73	16	1	5	3	7	22	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	6	5	1	4	9	3	.	.	.	43	2	15	14	.
Total Urban Districts	...	99,000	14.2	.	27	2	.	2	4	2	6	11	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	4	2	.	.	.	.	2	17	1	4	.	.
Total Registration Area	...	423,000	12.3	0.5	100	18	1	7	7	9	28	30	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	6	6	5	6	9	3	.	3	60	3	19	14	.	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					16	1	.	.	2	4	6	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	1	1	.	.	.	10	.	15	1	.	

\* See note (f) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 12th November, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	6	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	25	42
	Oct. 29	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	12	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	12	26
	Nov. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	5	3	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	—	7	30
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	9	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	11	35
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	4
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	4
Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Oct. 22	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
City of Belfast	Oct. 22	5	.	1	.	.	—	24	—	11	2	1	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	1	28	72
	Oct. 29	3	.	.	.	.	—	21	—	17	.	1	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	20	66
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TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 12th November, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 12th November.			
	Oct. 22	Oct. 29	Nov. 5.	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	11	12	14	1	2	.	13
Typhus, .. ..	1	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	8	3	9	5	1	.	13
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	52	66	69	15	13	.	71*
Diphtheria, .. ..	39	37	44	16	10	1	49
Pneumonia, .. ..	21	19	19	9	4	.	24





## Deaths in Dublin Registration Area

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 12th November, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	116
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	3
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	35
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	11
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	52
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	15
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	10·7	2
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		1
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	17·9	4
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		6
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		13
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		12
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	5·3	1
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		2
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		1
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		.
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		6
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		1
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	16·2	5
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		3
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		2
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		42
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	15



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 15·4 and 14·2; Dublin Registration Area, 15·8 and 13·2; Dublin City, 16·7 and 13·2; Belfast, 16·3 and 15·2; Cork, 12·2 and 15·0; Londonderry, 22·0 and 13·0; Limerick, 14·9 and 16·2, and Waterford, 9·5 and 11·4.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·6 per 1,000. Among the 131 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza. Included in the 13 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from diphtheria and one from dysentery, and one of the 3 deaths from all causes for Newry is from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 159—78 boys and 81 girls—and the deaths to 139—56 males and 83 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 15·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-six weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·5 and was 5·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-six weeks was 17·0: and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·3.

Included in the 123 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, one from scarlet fever, one from diphtheria, and 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 2, 0 and 0; deaths from scarlet fever were 2, 0 and 0; deaths from diphtheria were one, one and one, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 9, 6 and 3.

There were 4 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, one from lobar-pneumonia, and one from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 16 deaths (including 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and one from disseminated tuberculosis) as against 12, 7 and 12, in the 3 weeks preceding.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, 13 by organic diseases of the heart, and 14 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were recorded, one (that of an infant aged 20 months) being caused by scalds.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to diphtheria, 11 to convulsions, 3 to diseases of stomach, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to premature birth, and one to congenital debility.

Thirty-three of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 25 being infants under one year, of whom 12 were under one month old, and 39 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 26 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 128 deaths recorded, 57 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 19th November, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 14·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 15·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 15·7 and for Edinburgh 17·4

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 19th November, 1921, in the DUBLIN Registration Area, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 19TH NOVEMBER, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)									
POPULATION.										WEEK ENDING 19TH NOVEMBER, 1921.									
TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.										Air Temperature.									
Total (a)										Rainfall in Inches.									
Per-sons to an Acre.										Mean of (a) and (b).									
Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by DEATHS.										Absolute Highest.									
BIRTHS.										Absolute Lowest.									
From all Causes.										Mean Maximum (a).									
From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)										Mean Minimum (b).									
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TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 19TH NOVEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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\* See note (†) at foot of first page.)

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 19th November, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Oct. 29	2	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	4	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	12	26
	Nov. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	5	.	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	7	30
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	9	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	11	35
	Nov. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	12	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	1	29
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
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Pembroke Urban District	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
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	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	6
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Blackrock Urban District	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
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Kingstown Urban District	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
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	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
City of Belfast	Oct. 29	3	.	1	.	.	—	21	—	17	.	1	—	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	20	66
	Nov. 5	4	.	.	.	.	—	23	—	13	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	15	60
	Nov. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	25	—	16	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	15	60
	Nov. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	35	—	7	4	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	6	56
City of Cork	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	7
	Nov. 5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Nov. 12	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	17	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	19
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20
City of Londonderry	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
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	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	13
City of Waterford	Oct. 29	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
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TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 19th November, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 19th November.			
	Oct. 29	Nov. 5.	Nov. 12	No. admitted.	Dis-charged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	12	14	13	3	1	.	15
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	3	9	13	2	5	.	10
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	66	69	71	15	14	1	71*
Diphtheria, .. ..	37	44	49	11	8	1	51
Pneumonia, .. ..	19	19	24	8	5	.	27



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 19th November, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from *without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS DISTRICTS.			Popu- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from			AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM														Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.
					All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.	Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.				
																							Pneumonia.	Other.		Pulmonary.	Other Forms.							
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)			
CITY OF BELFAST.																																		
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT,	15,879	12	26.3	3.3	8	2	3	7	3	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	11	2	7	13	13	2	.	4	4	24	6		
Do. 2 do.	49,500	26	21.1	.	20	1	1	4	2	2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	2	1	1	.	1	1	1	1		
Do. 3 do.	50,032	24	14.6	.	14	1	1	4	2	4	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	1	1	1	2	2	1	.	1	1	5	3		
Do. 4 do.	32,637	13	11.2	.	7	.	.	4	4	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	2	2	2	2	1	.	1	1	3	1		
Do. 5 do.	16,112	8	22.7	.	7	1	.	4	4	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 6 do.	37,293	16	23.8	.	17	1	1	1	4	3	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 7 do.	2,681	1	.	.	3	2	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 8 do.	5,964	6	26.2	.	8	1	.	2	1	3	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 9 do.	24,427	11	17.1	.	8	1	.	1	2	2	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 10 do.	28,958	9	14.4	.	12	1	.	1	1	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 11 do.	—	17	—	—	6	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 12 do.	—	16	—	—	4	.	.	.	.	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 13 do.	—	11	—	—	4	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 14 do.	175	16	20.7	2.3	9	4	.	2	1	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 15 do.	22,669	15	—	—	8	3	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Do. 16 do.	—	15	—	—	8	3	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.		
Total,	386,947	201	16.3	0.4	131	20	6	8	27	33	37	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	11	2	7	13	13	2	.	4	4	24	6			
CITY OF CORK																																		
CORK URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT,	13,455	5	7.8	5.0	2	1	.	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2		
Do. 2 do.	10,399	10	20.1	.	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1		
Do. 3 do.	9,793	10	16.0	5.3	3	.	.	1	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2		
Do. 4 do.	9,139	2	17.1	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	3		
Do. 5 do.	6,250	2	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1		
Do. 6 do.	11,681	3	4.5	.	5	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2		
Do. 7 do.	16,056	10	16.2	.	5	.	.	.	.	2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	2		
Total,	76,673	42	12.2	1.4	18	2	2	3	2	3	6	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	.	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	10	2		

The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

† See note (†) at foot of first page.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1924. See note (1) at foot of page 4.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes, 15·5 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases, 0·0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 19th November, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	139
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	2
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	26
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	24
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	66
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	21
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ... 2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... 3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	7,868 1,347 5,443	7·1	2 . .
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ... 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... .. 7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	9,523 25,199 33,249 33,827	13·3	4 7 4 11
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... .. 9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... .. 10. Clothing Trades ... .. 11. Food Supply Trades ... .. 12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... .. 13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	11,777 28,823 20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772	11·5	4 3 2 2 10 3
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ... 15. Domestic Servants ... .. 16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... .. 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	12,977 36,041 15,380 103,081	20·5	10 11 3 42
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	21



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 13·2 and 11·0; Dublin Registration Area, 14·9 and 13·6; Dublin City, 15·0 and 13·6; Belfast, 12·5 and 14·4; Cork, 10·2 and 13·8; Londonderry, 9·3 and 13·6; Limerick, 16·2 and 17·2, and Waterford, 19·0 and 13·3.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Among the 101 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 2 from enteric fever, one from diphtheria, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from influenza. Included in the 15 deaths from all causes for Cork are one from enteric fever, 2 from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and 2 of the 12 deaths from all causes for Limerick are from diphtheria.\*

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 210—117 boys and 93 girls—and the deaths to 139—74 males and 65 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·9 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-seven weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·5 and was 5·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-seven weeks was 17·0: and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years 22·2.

Included in the 121 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from measles, 2 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 0, 0 and one; deaths from scarlet fever were 0, 0 and one; deaths from diphtheria were one, one and one, deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 6, 3 and 2, and deaths from influenza 0, one and 0. There were no deaths from whooping-cough registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 4 from broncho-pneumonia, and 2 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 15 deaths (including 11 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 7, 12 and 16, in the 3 weeks preceding.

Nine deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 15 by bronchitis.

Four accidental deaths were recorded, one being caused by drowning, and one (that of an infant) by overlying.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to whooping-cough, one to diphtheria, one to meningitis, 2 to convulsions, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation and 4 to premature birth.

Twenty-four of the deaths registered during the week appertaining to the Area were those of children under 5 years of age, 18 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 39 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 35 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 121 deaths recorded, 43 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 26th November, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 15·2) was equal to an average annual death rate of 14·2 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 14·8 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·8 and for Edinburgh 16·9.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



**TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 26th November, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.**

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimate shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases: thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin.



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 26TH NOVEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ESTI- MATED POP- ULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																			IN		Deaths.									
			FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CER- TAIN EPI- DEMIC DISEASES*	CAUSED BY																			IN											
					Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Number of Uncertified		
																						Pulmonary.	Other Forms.		Pneumonia.									Other.	
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	
North City.																																			
	North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	21.7	3.3	13	2	1	1	1	2	4	6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 1, W.	42,900	17.0	3.6	14	4	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 2	28,700	14.5	1.8	11	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 3	35,600	16.1	1.5	11	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	45.7	.	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	11.0	.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,500	4.5	.	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
South City.																																			
	South City, No. 1	44,900	15.1	2.3	13	3	1	1	1	4	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 2	18,900	22.1	.	8	1	1	1	1	2	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 3	45,200	12.7	.	11	1	1	1	1	3	2	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	" " 4	34,200	4.6	1.5	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	14.5	.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Urban Districts.																																			
	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	16.5	1.3	13	1	1	1	1	3	2	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	PENBROKE	30,800	20.3	.	12	1	1	1	1	1	6	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	BLACKBROOK	9,800	9.0	.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	KINGSTOWN	17,300	9.0	.	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	TOTAL	170,000	16.9	2.1	55	11	2	2	4	1	7	12	16	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	South	154,000	12.9	1.0	38	6	2	2	3	7	10	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	North and South	324,000	15.0	1.6	93	17	4	4	4	14	22	26	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Total Urban Districts	99,000	14.7	0.5	28	1	1	1	1	5	9	13	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
	Total Registration Area	423,000	14.9	1.4	121	18	4	4	4	19	31	39	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					18	1	1	1	1	5	5	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 26th November, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 5	1	.	.	.	.	—	11	—	5	.	.	—	2	.	.	4	.	.	—	7	30
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	9	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	11	35
	Nov. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	12	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	1	29
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	9	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	40
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	4
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	6
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
Kingstown Urban District	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
City of Belfast	Nov. 5	4	.	.	.	.	—	23	—	13	1	.	—	.	.	.	3	1	.	.	15	60
	Nov. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	25	—	16	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	15	60
	Nov. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	35	—	7	4	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	6	56
	Nov. 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	29	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	7	54
City of Cork	Nov. 5	1	.	1	.	.	.	.	—	8	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	10
	Nov. 12	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	17	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	19
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	26
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	—	13	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	15a
City of Londonderry	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	7	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	7
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	13
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
City of Waterford	Nov. 5	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including 2 cases of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 26th November, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 26th November.			
	Nov. 5	Nov. 12	Nov. 19	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	14	13	15	.	3	.	12
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	9	13	10	11	3	.	18
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	69	71	71	8	14	2	63*
Diphtheria, .. ..	44	49	51	13	9	3	52
Pneumonia, .. ..	19	24	27	6	4	.	29

\* Exclusive of 19 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 26th November, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from *without each City being omitted* and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the *localities from which the deceased persons were admitted*; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS DISTRICTS.			Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	AGES AT DEATH.											DEATHS FROM											No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																														
					Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		Total Number of DEATHS.						Enteric Fever.					Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.			Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
							All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)									(14)				(15)	(16)					(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
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\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes, 14.0 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases, 1.6.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 26th November, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	139
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	3
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	37
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	22
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	61
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	16
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	10·7	2
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		1
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	19·0	1
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		13
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		7
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		16
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	10·6	4
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		8
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		1
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		.
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		7
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		2
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	19·0	9
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		6
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		6
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		40
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	16



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

IN THE

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA,

CONSISTING OF THE CITY OF DUBLIN AND THE URBAN DISTRICTS OF RATHMINES  
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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 12·9 and 13·9; Dublin Registration Area, 14·1 and 14·3; Dublin City, 14·6 and 14·5; Belfast, 12·4 and 13·8; Cork, 10·2 and 12·6; Londonderry, 9·3 and 13·3; Limerick, 20·3 and 16·6, and Waterford, 20·9 and 16·1.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 0·7 per 1,000. Among the 100 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from diphtheria, 6 from diarrhoeal diseases and one from influenza. Included in the 11 deaths from all causes for Waterford is one from enteric fever, and 1 of the 3 deaths from all causes for Tralee is from the same disease.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 233—111 boys and 122 girls—and the deaths to 132—63 males and 69 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 18) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 14·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-eight weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·5 and was 5·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-eight weeks was 17·0, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 22·2.

Included in the 114 deaths appertaining to the Area are one from diphtheria, 5 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from malaria. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from diphtheria were one, one and 2, and deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 3, 2 and 4. There were no deaths from malaria registered in the three preceding weeks.

There were 6 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 2 from broncho-pneumonia, and 4 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 13 from pulmonary tuberculosis, 2 from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease) as against 12, 16 and 15, in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 9 by organic diseases of the heart, and 12 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to venereal disease, 2 to bronchitis, 5 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 2 to congenital malformations, 4 to premature birth, and 7 to congenital debility.

Twenty-nine of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 21 being infants under one year, of whom 10 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 27 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 114 deaths recorded, 49 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 3rd December, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 18·4) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 15·5 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·4 and for Edinburgh 12·9.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.



**TABLE I.**—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 3rd December, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

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(a) According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Dublin Registration Area and its component parts and the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921. The estimates shown for London relates to the civil population in 1920. The population for each of Glasgow and Edinburgh is that according to the Census of 1921. (b) See note (†) at foot of first page. (c) It having been found impracticable to obtain Meteorological Observations from some of the Towns included in this Table, the readings at the nearest stations from which Returns are received have been adopted in several cases; thus, the readings at Armagh have been adopted for Lurgan, Newry, and Portadown, those at Markree for Sligo, and those at Roche's Point for Cork. (d) Observations at Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park. (e) Observations by Sir John Moore, taken at Fitzwilliam Square. (f) Observations by Sir Frederick W. Moore, taken at the Botanic Gardens, Glasnevin. (g) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis.



TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 3RD DECEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 3RD DECEMBER, 1921.																																		
DEATHS.																																		
REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.	ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.	CAUSED BY																	TOTAL DEATHS.	IN INSTITUTIONS.													
			Under 1 year.	1 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.	In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.	In Workhouse Hospitals.	Deaths.			
																			Pulmonary.			Other Forms.	Pneumonia.									Other.		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	
North City.																																		
North City, No. 1, E.	31,300	10.0	6	6	2	1	1	1	1	2	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 1, W.	42,900	20.7	17	3	6	1	1	1	1	2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 2	28,700	18.2	10	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 3	35,000	8.8	6	3	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	9.1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
COOLICK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of ...	14,200	11.0	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of ...	11,600	9.0	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
South City.																																		
South City, No. 1	44,900	13.9	12	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 2	18,900	24.8	9	3	3	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 3	46,200	18.5	16	3	1	1	1	1	2	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
" " 4	34,200	12.2	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	4.8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
Urban Districts.																																		
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	11.4	9	1	1	1	1	1	4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	3	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
PEMBROKE	30,800	3.4	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
BLACKROCK	9,800	16.0	3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
KINGSTOWN	17,300	27.1	9	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
TOTAL	170,000	13.8	45	11	3	1	1	2	7	9	12	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	2	1	1	4	7	5	1	1	3	15	5	2	2	
CITY.	154,000	15.6	46	7	2	1	2	1	7	9	17	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	4	1	5	2	6	13	1	1	1	15	8	1	1	1	
North and South	324,000	14.6	91	18	5	2	2	3	14	18	29	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8	3	6	6	6	13	5	1	1	48	13	3	3	3	
Total Urban Districts	99,000	12.1	23	3	1	1	2	1	7	4	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	5	2	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	12	5	1	1	1	
Total Registration Area	423,000	14.1	114	21	5	3	4	4	21	22	34	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	13	5	8	6	14	5	2	2	60	4	35	14	4	4	
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).																																		
			18	2	1	1	2	1	4	6	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 3rd December, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	9	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	11	35
	Nov. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	12	3	.	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	—	1	29
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	9	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	40
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	7	1	12	—	.	1	.	5	.	.	—	7	29
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	1
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	—	.	4
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	6
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Nov. 12	1	.	.	.	.	—	25	—	16	1	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	15	60
	Nov. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	35	—	7	4	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	6	56
	Nov. 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	29	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	7	54
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
City of Cork	Nov. 12	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	17	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	19
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	15a
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	19	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20b
City of Londonderry	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	3
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
City of Limerick	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	4
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	13
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	8
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
City of Waterford	Nov. 12	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including 2 cases of Varicella. (b) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 3rd December, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 3rd December.			
	Nov. 12	Nov. 19	Nov. 26	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	13	15	12	2	3	1	10
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, ... ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	13	10	18	9	4	.	23
Scarlet Fever, ...	71	71	63	15	12	.	66*
Diphtheria, .. ..	49	51	52	10	7	3	52
Pneumonia, .. ..	24	27	29	5	5	3	26



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 3rd December, 1921. Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal Causes; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.		Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	AGES AT DEATH.											DEATHS FROM											No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																
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† See note (†) at foot of first page.

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes, 8.8 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases, 0.5.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 3rd December, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

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	<b>ALL PERSONS.</b>	397,957	—	132
	<b>CLASSES.</b>			
	<b>DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—</b>			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	4
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	28
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	33
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	52
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	15
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	14·2	4
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	14·3	.
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		7
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		6
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		15
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	15·9	4
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		7
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		1
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		17
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		2
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	16·2	8
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		7
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		5
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		32
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	15



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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 15·5 and 14·3; Dublin Registration Area, 18·0 and 15·7; Dublin City, 20·0 and 16·6; Belfast, 12·0 and 13·3; Cork, 13·6 and 11·6; Londonderry, 17·4 and 14·5; Limerick, 14·9 and 16·6, and Waterford, 30·4 and 19·9.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·0 per 1,000. Among the 97 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from enteric fever, one from scarlet fever, 3 from diarrhoeal diseases and one from influenza. Of the 15 deaths from all causes for Londonderry one is from diphtheria. Included in the 16 deaths from all causes for Waterford are 3 from diarrhoeal diseases. One of the 9 deaths from all causes for Portadown is from influenza. The only death recorded for Ballymena is from scarlet fever, and of the 4 deaths from all causes for Kilkenny one is from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 222—116 boys and 106 girls—and the deaths to 155—63 males and 92 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 9) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 18·0 per 1,000 of the population. During the forty-nine weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 17·3 and was 5·3 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the forty-nine weeks was 17·1, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 22·2.

Included in the 146 deaths appertaining to the Area are 6 from measles, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 2 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were one, one and 0; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 2, 4 and 5, and deaths from influenza 0, one and 0.

There were 26 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 15 from broncho-pneumonia, 6 from lobar pneumonia and 5 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 20 deaths (all of which were from pulmonary tuberculosis), as against 16, 15 and 18 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Four deaths were caused by cancer, 12 by organic diseases of the heart, and 18 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, one was due to measles, one to meningitis, 3 to convulsions, one to bronchitis, 5 to broncho-pneumonia, 2 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, and 10 to premature birth.

Forty-six of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 26 being infants under one year, of whom 13 were under one month old, and 34 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 23 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 146 deaths recorded, 53 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 10th December, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 13·9) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·1 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 15·7 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 16·4 and for Edinburgh 17·5.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.







TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDING 10TH DECEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several Registrars' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 10th December, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	12	3	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	1	29
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	9	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	40
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	7	1	2	—	.	1	.	5	.	.	—	7	29
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	4	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	9	35
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	6
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
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Kingstown Urban District	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
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City of Belfast	Nov. 19	2	.	.	.	.	—	35	—	7	4	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	6	56
	Nov. 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	29	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	7	54
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
City of Cork	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	19	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	15a
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	19	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20b
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City of Londonderry	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
City of Limerick	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	13
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	8
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	Dec. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
City of Waterford	Nov. 19	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
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	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

(a) Not including 2 cases of Varicella. (b) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 10th December, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 10th December.			
	Nov. 19	Nov. 26	Dec. 3	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	15	12	10	.	4	.	6
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	10	18	23	10	5	1	27
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	71	63	66	6	20	.	52
Diphtheria, .. ..	51	52	52	17	15	.	54
Pneumonia, .. ..	27	29	26	10	9	1	26





TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 10th December, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

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	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		1
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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

The Births and Deaths \* registered in the Dublin Registration Area and in the eighteen principal provincial Urban Districts of Ireland, with the annual rates per 1,000 of the population represented thereby, which, for the purposes of these Returns, is estimated at 1,183,268, are given in Table I. The deaths from all causes appertaining to the undermentioned areas for last week and for the past four weeks, respectively, were equal to the following annual rates per 1,000 of the population:—

Nineteen Town Districts, 16·5 and 14·6; Dublin Registration Area, 23·1 and 17·5; Dublin City, 26·7 and 19·1; Belfast, 10·3 and 11·8; Cork, 11·6 and 11·1; Londonderry, 7·0 and 10·8; Limerick, 23·0 and 18·6, and Waterford, 15·2 and 21·4.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 83 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from scarlet fever, 2 from diarrhoeal diseases and one from influenza. Of the 17 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from diphtheria. Included in the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick are one from diphtheria and one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and of the 8 deaths from all causes for Ballymena 3 are from scarlet fever and 2 from influenza.

## DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 178—87 boys and 91 girls—and the deaths to 201—93 males and 108 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 23·1 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·7 and was 5·1 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty weeks was 17·2, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 22·2.

Included in the 187 deaths appertaining to the Area are 11 from measles, 2 from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 3 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were one, 0 and 6; deaths from whooping-cough were 2, 0 and 0; deaths from diphtheria were 2, one and 0; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 5 and 4, and deaths from influenza one, 0 and 2.

There were 34 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 19 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia and 12 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 11 deaths (including 8 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 2 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 15, 18 and 20 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Thirteen deaths were caused by cancer, 15 by organic diseases of the heart, and 19 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 3 were due to measles, one to influenza, 4 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 3 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, 4 to premature birth and 2 to congenital debility.

Sixty-three of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 29 being infants under one year, of whom 7 were under one month old, and 41 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 29 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 187 deaths recorded, 65 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

## ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 17th December, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 14·7) was equal to an average annual death rate of 14·4 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 14·1 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·6 and for Edinburgh 11·5.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.





TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 17TH DECEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' Districts in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																	In Institutions.		Number of Uncertified Deaths.												
		ESTI- MATED POPU- LATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	FROM ALL CAUSES	TOTAL DEATHS.																		In Hospitals, Prisons and Lunatic Asylums.		In Workhouse Hospitals.											
				FROM GER- TAIN EPI- DEMIC DIS- EASES*	CAUSED BY																														
					Under 1 year.	1 and under 2.	2 and under 5.	5 and under 15.	15 and under 25.	25 and under 45.	45 and under 65.	65 and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.				Tuber- culosis.	Cancer.	Diseases of Res- piratory System.	Diarrhoea and Enteritis of Children under 2 years.	Diarrhoea, 2 years and upwards.	Violence.	Other Causes.	Inquest Cases.			
COLS.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)	
North City.																																			
	NORTH CITY, No. 1, E.	31,300	33.3	7.3	20	4	4	1	1	2	6	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	3	5	2	1	...	...	...	1	4	7	...	
	" " 1, W.	42,900	49.8	9.1	41	4	4	8	2	7	7	7	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	3	4	4	...	...	...	...	13	1	5	...	
	" " 2	28,700	30.9	9.1	17	6	2	2	1	3	3	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	7	...	3	...	
	" " 3	35,600	20.5	1.5	14	5	2	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	
	CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	5,700	9.1	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	14,200	14.7	3.7	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	11,600	4.5	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
South City.																																			
	SOUTH CITY, No. 1	44,900	18.6	1.2	16	2	...	1	2	2	3	8	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	2	2	2	...	...	...	...	8	...	3	6	...
	" " 2	18,900	24.8	2.8	9	2	1	1	1	1	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	...
	" " 3	45,200	18.5	2.3	16	1	1	1	1	2	5	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	10	...	3	...	...
	" " 4	34,200	30.6	3.0	24	2	3	2	1	3	7	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	3	...	...	...	...	9	...	4	...
	NEW KILMAINHAM	10,800	14.5	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...
Urban Districts.																																			
	RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	41,100	6.3	...	5	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	...
	PENBROKE	30,800	13.5	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	BLACKROCK	9,800	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	KINGSTOWN	17,300	24.1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	TOTAL	170,000	30.1	4.0	98	21	11	12	1	3	14	21	15	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	1	5	...	7	22	12	3	...	...	...	...	18	8	1	...
	CITY.	154,000	23.0	2.0	68	6	4	5	4	7	8	19	15	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	5	10	9	1	...	...	...	...	16	14	1	...
	North and South	324,000	26.7	3.1	166	27	15	17	5	10	22	40	30	...	...	...	11	...	2	2	...	8	3	12	32	21	4	...	...	...	...	68	22	2	...
	Total Urban Districts	99,000	11.1	...	21	2	1	1	1	...	2	3	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	...	...
	Total Registration Area	423,000	23.1	2.3	187	29	16	18	6	10	24	43	41	...	...	...	11	...	2	2	...	8	3	13	34	24	4	...	...	...	...	7	39	26	2
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).					14	3	1	1	...	1	4	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	9	...	14	...	...

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 17th December, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	8	—	9	3	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	16	40
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	7	1	2	—	.	1	.	5	.	.	—	7	29
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	4	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	9	35
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	1	—	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	10	29
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	2	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	5
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Nov. 26	1	.	.	.	.	—	29	—	11	2	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	.	7	54
	Dec. 3	1	2	.	.	.	—	29	—	4	3	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	11	54
	Dec. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	24	—	15	5	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	13	61a
	Dec. 17	2	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	15	4	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	50a
City of Cork	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	—	14	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	15b
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	19	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20c
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	14	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	27	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	28
City of Londonderry	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	3	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
City of Limerick	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	8	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	8
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Dec. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
City of Waterford	Nov. 26	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

a Including one case of Ophthalmia Neonatorum. (b) Not including 2 cases of Varicella. (c) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 17th December, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 17th December.			
	Nov. 26	Dec 3	Dec. 10	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	12	10	6	6	.	.	12
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	18	23	27	10	9	1	27
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	63	66	52	9	9	.	52
Diphtheria, .. ..	52	52	54	6	9	2	49
Pneumonia, .. ..	29	26	26	14	1	2	37



DEATHS.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,000, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes, 9.8 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases, 1.0. See note (1) at foot of next page.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 17th December, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION.  The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	201
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	2
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	42
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	45
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	86
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I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,868	7·1	2
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	21·5	3
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ...	25,199		6
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		15
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		18
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	21·6	4
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		14
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		8
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		4
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		14
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The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·7 per 1,000. Among the 99 deaths from all causes for Belfast are 3 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years and one from influenza. Of the 15 deaths from all causes for Cork 2 are from diphtheria. Included in the 15 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are one from whooping-cough, 2 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and one from influenza. Of the 13 deaths from all causes for Limerick one is from scarlet fever and 5 are from diphtheria. One of the 4 deaths from all causes for Newry is from whooping-cough, and of the 2 deaths registered for Kilkenny, one is from diphtheria.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 138—60 boys and 78 girls—and the deaths to 210—109 males and 101 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 14) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 21·2 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-one weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 15·8 and was 5·0 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-one weeks was 17·4, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 22·2.

Included in the 196 deaths appertaining to the Area are 12 from measles, one from whooping-cough, 2 from diphtheria, 7 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 8 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 0, 6 and 11; deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 0 and 2; deaths from diphtheria were one, 0 and 2; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 5, 4 and 4, and deaths from influenza 0, 2 and 3.

There were 41 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 22 from broncho-pneumonia, 4 from lobar pneumonia and 15 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 19 deaths (including 15 from pulmonary tuberculosis, one from tuberculous meningitis, and 3 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 18, 20 and 11 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Eight deaths were caused by cancer, 16 by organic diseases of the heart, and 28 by bronchitis.

Two accidental deaths were recorded, and there was one case of infanticide.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 4 were due to measles, one to influenza, one to venereal disease, 3 to convulsions, 2 to bronchitis, 10 to broncho-pneumonia, one to pneumonia, 4 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to congenital malformation, 4 to premature birth and one to congenital debility.

Seventy-five of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 35 being infants under one year, of whom 9 were under one month old, and 45 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 32 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 196 deaths recorded, 71 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 24th December, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 16·1) was equal to an average annual death rate of 14·6 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

The average death-rate for 15 principal towns of Scotland was 14·3 per 1,000 persons living, the rate for Glasgow being 14·8 and for Edinburgh 14·0.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal







TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 24TH DECEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

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\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 24th December, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Group).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenza Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	7	1	2	—	.	1	.	5	.	.	—	7	29
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	4	—	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	9	35
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	1	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	—	10	29
	Dec. 24	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	4	24
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	2	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	6
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Dec. 3	1	2	.	.	.	—	29	—	4	3	1	—	.	.	.	3	.	.	.	11	54
	Dec. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	24	—	15	5	—	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	13	61a
	Dec. 17	2	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	15	4	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	50a
	Dec. 24	4	.	.	.	.	—	20	—	12	1	—	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	9	47
City of Cork	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	19	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	20b
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	27	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	28
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	15b
City of Londonderry	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	8
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
City of Limerick	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	7	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	7
	Dec. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	9
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	6
City of Waterford	Dec. 3	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

a Including one case of Ophthalmia Neonatorum.

(b) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 24th December, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 24th December.			
	Dec. 3	Dec. 10	Dec. 17	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever,	10	6	12	1	1	.	12
Typhus,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles,	23	27	27	9	9	1	26
Scarlet Fever, ..	66	52	52	5	15	.	42*
Diphtheria, ..	52	54	49	13	14	5	43
Pneumonia, ..	26	26	37	8	10	2	32

\* Exclusive of 16 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 24th December, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from within each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of Mortality per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS DISTRICTS.	Popula- tion in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		Total Number of DEATHS.	AGES AT DEATH.						DEATHS FROM												Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Insti- tutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.							
			All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†		Under 1 year.	1 year and under 5 years.	5 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.				DISEASES OF THE RESPIR- ATORY SYSTEM		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.		
																					Pneumonia.	Other.					Pulmonary.	Other Forms.					
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)			
CITY OF BELFAST.																																	
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.	15,879	6			3	1	3	1	1	5										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 2 do.	49,500	24	9.9		14	3	1	1	4	5										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 3 do.	50,032	18	14.7		14	1	1	6	2	5										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 4 do.	32,637	13	14.6		13	1	1	3	1	5										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 5 do.	16,112	14	20.8		4	1	1	2	2	1										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 6 do.	37,293	11	12.9		6	1	1	2	1	1										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 7 do.	2,681	2	8.4		4	1														1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 8 do.	5,964	2			2			1	1											1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 9 do.	24,427	20	17.5		7	1	1	2	2	1										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 10 do.	28,958	8	14.9	2.1	5	1	1	2	2	1										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 11 do.	—	16	10.8		6	3	1	1	1	1										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 12 do.	—	15	—	—	9	3	2	1	1	2										1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 13 do.	—	3	—	—	4	1														1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 14 do.	175	3	—		6															1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 15 do.	22,669	12	13.8		6															1	1	1	1	1	1								
Do. 16 do.	—	—	—	—	6	4														1	1	1	1	1	1								
Total.	386,947	165	12.3	0.4	99	20	8	21	19	23									1	12	3	10	8	7	3								
CITY OF CORK.																																	
CORK URBAN No. 1 DISTRICT.	13,455	5	23.3		6			1	2	1										2													
Do. 2 do.	10,399	2	5.0		1			2	1	1																							
Do. 3 do.	9,793	3	17.1	5.7	3				2																								
Do. 4 do.	9,139	1	—		3																												
Do. 5 do.	6,250	3	9.0	4.5	2																												
Do. 6 do.	11,581	6	9.7		3			1	1	1																							
Do. 7 do.	16,056	6	—		3																												
Total.	76,673	26	10.2	1.4	15	1	2	4	5	3										2	1		1	2									

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (†) at foot of first page.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 12.4 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases, 1.0

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 24th December, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	210
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS ... ..	14,658	—	2
II.	MIDDLE CLASS ... ..	101,798	—	36
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS ... ..	108,420	—	43
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS ... ..	167,479	—	106
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES ... ..	5,602	—	23
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments ...	7,863	7.1	2
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class ... ..	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ...	5,443		.
II.	MIDDLE CLASS. 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc. ...	9,523	18.4	1
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc. ...	25,199		5
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants ... ..	33,249		18
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above ... ..	33,827		12
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers ... ..	11,777	20.7	4
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades ... ..	28,823		12
	10. Clothing Trades ... ..	20,026		7
	11. Food Supply Trades ... ..	8,952		2
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades ... ..	32,070		16
	13. Petty Shopkeepers ... ..	6,772		2
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc. ...	12,977	33.0	8
	15. Domestic Servants ... ..	36,041		6
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc. ... ..	15,380		7
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc. ... ..	103,081		85
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates ... ..	5,602	—	23



# WEEKLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS

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## NINETEEN TOWN DISTRICTS.

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Nineteen Town Districts, 20·4 and 17·2 ; Dublin Registration Area, 30·8 and 24·0 ; Dublin City, 34·8 and 27·4 ; Belfast, 12·7 and 11·8 ; Cork, 17·0 and 13·1 ; Londonderry, 25·5 and 16·8 ; Limerick, 23·0 and 19·6, and Waterford, 13·3 and 16·6.

The deaths\* from certain epidemic diseases † registered in the 19 town districts during last week were equal to an annual rate of 1·3 per 1,000. Among the 102 deaths from all causes for Belfast are one from diphtheria, 5 from influenza, and one from cerebro-spinal meningitis. Of the 25 deaths from all causes for Cork one is from diphtheria. Included in the 22 deaths from all causes for Londonderry are 2 from whooping-cough, one from diarrhoea and enteritis of a child under 2 years, and one from influenza. Among the 17 deaths from all causes for Limerick is one from each of scarlet fever and diphtheria. One of the 6 deaths from all causes for Newry is from whooping-cough, and of the 5 deaths from all causes for Dundalk one is from the same disease.

### DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.

In the Dublin Registration Area the births registered during the week amounted to 166—86 boys and 80 girls—and the deaths to 261—122 males and 139 females.

The deaths registered, omitting the deaths (numbering 11) of persons admitted into public institutions from localities outside the Area, represent an annual rate of mortality of 30·8 per 1,000 of the population. During the fifty-two weeks ending with Saturday last, the death-rate averaged 16·1 and was 4·7 below the mean rate for the corresponding portions of the ten years 1911-20. The rate for all deaths registered during the fifty-two weeks was 17·7, and for the corresponding period of the preceding ten years, 22·2.

Included in the 250 deaths appertaining to the Area are 10 from measles, 3 from whooping-cough, 3 from diphtheria, 4 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years, and 24 from influenza. In the 3 preceding weeks deaths from measles were 6, 11 and 12 ; deaths from whooping-cough were 0, 2 and one ; deaths from diphtheria were 0, 2 and 2 ; deaths from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years were 4, 4 and 7, and deaths from influenza 2, 3 and 8.

There were 63 deaths from pneumonia, comprising 45 from broncho-pneumonia, 3 from lobar pneumonia and 15 from pneumonia (type not distinguished).

Tuberculous disease caused 18 deaths (including 14 from pulmonary tuberculosis, and 4 from other forms of tuberculous disease), as against 20, 11 and 19 from all forms of tuberculous disease in the 3 weeks preceding.

Seven deaths were caused by cancer, 17 by organic diseases of the heart, and 37 by bronchitis.

Three accidental deaths were recorded.

Among deaths of infants under one year old, 2 were due to influenza, 2 to simple meningitis, 5 to convulsions, 3 to bronchitis, 11 to broncho-pneumonia, one to lobar pneumonia, 2 to pneumonia, 3 to diarrhoea and enteritis, one to premature birth and 3 to congenital debility.

Ninety-seven of the deaths registered during the week, appertaining to the Area, were those of children under 5 years of age, 35 being infants under one year, of whom 4 were under one month old, and 52 deaths were those of persons aged 65 and upwards, of whom 40 were 70 years of age or over.

Of the 250 deaths recorded, 79 occurred in hospitals and other public institutions.

### ENGLAND AND SCOTLAND.

The mortality among civilians for the week ended 31st December, in 96 large English towns (including London in which the rate was 18·5) was equal to an average annual death rate of 15·9 per 1,000 of the estimated civil population.

\* Exclusive of the deaths of persons admitted into public institutions from without the respective districts.

† Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoea diseases.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS registered during the week ending Saturday, 31st December, 1921, in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, and in each of the under-mentioned 18 URBAN DISTRICTS (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other Districts), the Number of Deaths from some of the PRINCIPAL CAUSES, and the Number of Uncertified Deaths, with the Temperature and Rainfall for the week; also statistics regarding Births, Deaths, and Meteorology in London, Edinburgh, and Glasgow.

REGISTRATION—WEEK ENDING SATURDAY, 31ST DECEMBER, 1921.										METEOROLOGY. (c)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 Persons Represented by		BIRTHS.		DEATHS.		NUMBERS REGISTERED.										WEEK ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1921.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																	
		DEATHS.		From all Causes.		From certain Epidemic Diseases. (b)		TOTAL NUMBER.		Under 1 year of Age.		At 65 years and upwards.		Typhus.		Small-pox.		Measles.		Scarlet Fever.		Whooping-cough.		Diphtheria.		Dysentery.		Influenza.		Pulmonary.		Tuber- culosis.		Cancer.		Diseases of the Respira- tory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis in children under 5 years of age.		Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.		Violence.		Inquest Cases.		No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.		Dents.																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
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TABLE II.—Showing for the WEEK ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\* ; with the mortality from some of the principal causes ; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths, the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.		WEEK ENDED SATURDAY, 31ST DECEMBER, 1921.																																		DEATHS.									
		ANNUAL RATE OF MORTALITY PER 1,000 LIVING REPRESENTED BY DEATHS.										CAUSED BY														IN INSTITUTIONS.																			
		ESTIMATED POPULATION MIDDLE OF 1921.	FROM ALL CAUSES	FROM CERTAIN EPIDEMIC DISEASES*	TOTAL DEATHS.	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)										
COLS.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)										
North City.																																													
North City, No. 1, E.	...	31,300	31.7	5.0	19	4	3	6	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	...	8	1	1	...	...	...	1	5	...	...	...									
" " 1, W.	...	42,900	43.8	6.1	36	3	8	7	...	...	...	4	10	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	10	9	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
" " 2	...	28,700	40.0	3.6	22	4	2	4	1	...	...	3	5	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	11	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
" " 3	...	35,600	35.2	...	24	4	2	2	...	...	...	6	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
CLONTARF AND HOWTH, No. 1, part of	...	5,700	...	...	7	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
COOLOCK AND DRUMCONDRA, part of	...	14,200	25.7	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of	...	11,600	18.0	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
South City.																																													
South City, No. 1	...	44,900	25.5	3.5	22	7	2	1	2	...	...	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	3	3	2	...	...	...	2	4	...	...	...									
" " 2	...	18,900	30.3	8.3	11	1	2	2	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
" " 3	...	45,200	50.8	1.2	44	6	4	2	...	...	...	15	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
" " 4	...	34,200	33.5	3.0	22	5	2	1	...	...	...	6	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
NEW KILMAINHAM	...	10,800	24.1	4.8	5	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
Urban Districts.																																													
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	...	41,100	15.2	...	12	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
PEMBROKE	...	30,800	18.6	...	11	1	2	...	...	...	4	1	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
BLACKROCK	...	9,800	21.3	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
KINGSTOWN	...	17,300	21.1	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
TOTAL CITY.	North	170,000	34.4	3.1	112	13	21	20	1	5	14	16	22	...	...	...	6	...	1	2	...	5	2	2	2	34	20	1	...	...	...	3	30	9	1	...									
	South	154,000	35.2	3.4	104	21	11	7	5	5	14	26	15	...	...	...	4	...	2	1	...	13	5	2	4	23	15	3	...	...	...	5	24	9	1	...									
North and South	...	324,000	34.8	3.2	216	34	32	27	6	10	28	42	37	...	...	...	10	...	3	3	...	18	10	4	6	57	35	4	...	...	...	8	54	18	2	...									
Total Urban Districts	...	99,000	17.9	...	34	1	2	1	1	1	8	5	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...									
Total Registration Area	...	423,000	30.8	2.5	250	35	34	28	7	11	36	47	52	...	...	...	10	...	3	3	...	24	14	4	7	63	39	4	...	...	...	8	60	19	3	...									
Deaths relating to residents of localities situated outside the Registration Area (not included in above).		...	...	...	11	1	...	...	1	2	2	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...								

\* See note (†) at foot of first page.

TABLE III.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of INFECTIOUS DISEASES notified in the Dublin Registration Area (viz. :—the City of Dublin, and the Urban Districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock and Kingstown), and in the Cities of Belfast, Cork, Londonderry, Limerick, and Waterford, during the week ended 31st December, 1921, and each of the preceding three weeks, as furnished by the respective Sanitary Authorities. A dash ( — ) denotes that the disease in question is not notifiable in the District.

CITIES AND URBAN DISTRICTS.	Week ending	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Pyrexia—Continued Fever.	Relapsing Fever.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria (including Membranous Croup).	Erysipelas.	Puerperal Fever.	Diarrhoeal Diseases.	Dysentery.	Malaria.	Trench Fever.	Acute Primary Pneumonia and Acute Influenzal Pneumonia.	Cerebro-spinal Fever.	Acute Poliomyelitis.	Encephalitis Lethargica.	Tuberculosis.	Total.
City of Dublin	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	12	4	.	—	.	.	.	4	.	.	—	9	35
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	6	1	1	—	.	.	.	7	.	.	—	10	29
	Dec. 24	2	.	.	.	.	—	5	—	3	2	—	—	.	.	.	8	.	.	—	4	24
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	5	.	.	—	.	10
Rathmines & Rathgar Urban District	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	2
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	1	.	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	—	—	3
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	1	2	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	—	6
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	.
Pembroke Urban District	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	2
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	1	.	.	—	1	4
Blackrock Urban District	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	.
Kingstown Urban District	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	1
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.
City of Belfast	Dec. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	24	—	15	5	.	—	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	13	61a
	Dec. 17	2	.	.	.	.	—	16	—	15	4	1	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	50a
	Dec. 24	4	.	.	.	.	—	20	—	12	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	9	47
	Dec. 31	6	.	.	.	.	—	12	—	16	2	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	40
City of Cork	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	14	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	14
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	27	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	28
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	15	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	15b
	Dec. 31	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	10	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	—	11
City of Londonderry	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	4	—	.	1	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	5
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	6	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	1	—	3	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	4
City of Limerick	Dec. 10	1	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	9
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	2	—	4	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	6
	Dec. 31	.	.	1	.	.	—	2	—	6	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	9
City of Waterford	Dec. 10	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 17	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 24	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.
	Dec. 31	.	.	.	.	.	—	.	—	.	.	.	—	.	.	.	.	—	—	—	.	.

a Including one case of Ophthalmia Neonatorum.

(b) Not including one case of Varicella.

TABLE IV.—Showing the NUMBER of CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the week ended Saturday, 31st December, 1921, with the number under treatment at the close of each of the last four weeks.

DISEASES	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of week ended			Week ended 31st December.			
	Dec. 10	Dec. 17	Dec. 24	No. admitted.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment at close of week.
Enteric Fever, .. ..	6	12	12	3	2	.	13
Typhus, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Small-pox, .. ..	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Measles, .. ..	27	27	26	4	6	2	22
Scarlet Fever, .. ..	52	52	42	4	10	.	36*
Diphtheria, .. ..	54	49	43	7	11	2	37
Pneumonia, .. ..	26	37	33	8	5	3	33

\* Exclusive of 18 patients in "Beneavin," the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.



\*TABLE V.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) OF BELFAST and CORK, registered during the week ended 31st December, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

[illegible]

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 10·9 per 1,000, and from certain epidemic diseases, 0·0.

TABLE VI.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Week ending Saturday, 31st December, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

CLASS.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. The 31,318 persons returned under the head "Unspecified" in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths
	ALL PERSONS.	397,957	—	261
	CLASSES.			
	DEATHS IN THE FAMILIES OF THE—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS	14,658	—	3
II.	MIDDLE CLASS	101,798	—	38
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS	108,420	—	70
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS	167,479	—	129
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.	5,602	—	21
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS.			
	1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions; Naval and Military Officers, and Heads of Public Departments	7,868	10.7	2
	2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class	1,347		.
	3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described	5,443		1
II.	MIDDLE CLASS.			
	4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, etc.	9,523	19.5	1
	5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, etc.	25,199		5
	6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants	33,249		14
	7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities not included in above	33,827		18
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS			
	8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers	11,777	33.7	9
	9. Building and Furnishing Trades	28,823		19
	10. Clothing Trades	20,026		6
	11. Food Supply Trades	8,952		6
	12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades	32,070		28
	13. Petty Shopkeepers	6,772		2
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS.			
	14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery and Prison Services, etc.	12,977	40.2	9
	15. Domestic Servants	36,041		17
	16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, etc.	15,380		13
	17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, etc.	103,081		90
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES.			
	18. Workhouse Inmates	5,602	—	21



# Quarterly Summary of the Weekly Returns

OF

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DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA.—BIRTHS.—In the Dublin Registration Area, which consists of the City of Dublin and the urban districts of Rathmines and Rathgar, Pembroke, Blackrock, and Dun Laoghaire, there were registered during the thirteen weeks ended on Saturday, 31st December, 1921, 2,517 births—1,269 boys and 1,248 girls—being equal to an annual rate of 23·8 in every 1,000 of the population.

The number of births recorded for the city was 2,068, equivalent to an annual rate of 25·5 in every 1,000 of the population; and for the urban districts named above, 449, equal to an annual rate of 18·1 in every 1,000 of the population.

During the same period, the births in London were equivalent to an annual rate of 21·5 per 1,000 of the population; in Glasgow the birth-rate was 27·8 per 1,000, and in Edinburgh 21·2 per 1,000.

DEATHS.—Omitting the deaths (165) referred to localities outside the Dublin Registration Area, the deaths for the Area, numbering 1,744, were equivalent to an annual rate of 16·5 per 1,000 of the estimated population, the average rate for the corresponding period of the previous 10 years being 20·7. The total number of deaths registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter was 1,909—905 males and 1,004 females—affording an annual ratio of 18·1 in every 1,000 of the estimated population, as compared with 21·7 per 1,000 for the fourth quarter of the ten years, 1911-1920.

The number of deaths of inhabitants\* of the North City districts registered last quarter was 794, representing an annual mortality of 18·7 in every 1,000 of the population; and the number in the South City districts was 647, equivalent to a rate of 16·8 per 1,000. For the urban districts the number of deaths registered was 303, being equal to an annual death-rate of 12·2 in every 1,000.

\* The death-rates referring to the several Dublin districts have been calculated on the mortality for the respective districts as corrected by the distribution of deaths in public institutions according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted.

The deaths among civilians in London during the same period were equivalent to an annual rate of mortality of 14·3 in every 1,000 of the civil population; in Glasgow the death-rate was 14·6 per 1,000 of the total population, and in Edinburgh the annual rate was 13·4 per 1,000.

In 24 instances the cause of death was uncertified, there having been no medical attendant during the last illness. Of the 24 cases, 11 (or 45·8 per cent.) were deaths of children under 5 years of age. Of the deaths of 119 infants under one month old registered, there were 8 (or 6·7 per cent.) regarding which the cause was uncertified.

From Table II., page 416*d*, it will be seen that the annual rate represented by the mortality from the principal epidemic diseases\* in the Dublin Registration Area was 1·5 per 1,000; that in the City it was 1·7, and in the urban districts 0·5, the rates for the several districts varying from 0·0 in each of Clontarf and Howth No. 1, part of, and Blackrock to 4·1 for North City, No. 1 West, the 287 deaths from all causes for that district, including 21 from measles, one from whooping-cough, 5 from diphtheria, and 17 from diarrhoea and enteritis of children under 2 years of age.

OCCUPATIONS.—In Table IV., page 416*f*, it will be observed that the deaths in families of the "Professional and Independent Class" were equal to an annual rate of 11·2 per 1,000 of the persons in that Class according to the Census of 1911; the rate for the "Middle Class" was 15·2 per 1,000; among the "Artisan Class and Petty Shopkeepers" it was 14·2; and in the "General Service Class" it was 20·8.

AGES.—Of the 1,909 persons whose deaths were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the quarter, 563 were under five years of age, including 339 infants under one year of age, the latter representing a rate of 135 per 1,000 births registered. The number of deaths of children under 5 years of age is equal to an annual mortality of 55·1 in every 1,000 children at that age (according to the Census of 1911), the deaths of persons between the ages of 5 and 15 representing an annual rate of 4·2 per 1,000 persons at that age period; those between the ages of 15 and 25 were equivalent to an annual rate of 5·0 per 1,000, the total number under 25 years being equal to an annual mortality of 15·4 per 1,000 of the population at that age period (according to the Census of 1911); for those between 25 and 45 the rate was 9·2; for those between 45 and 65 it was 29·1; among persons between 65 and 75 the rate was 60·0, and among those aged 75 and upwards the average annual death-rate was 145·9 per 1,000. The deaths of 11 persons (one male and 10 females) aged 90 years and upwards were registered.

PUBLIC INSTITUTIONS.—Of the 1,909 deaths recorded during the quarter, 817, or 42·8 per cent. occurred in public institutions, viz., 592 in the various hospitals, prisons, and lunatic asylums, 218 in the Dublin Union Workhouse, and 7 (those of persons admitted from within the Dublin Registration Area) in the Rathdown Union Workhouse.

WEATHER.—The mean temperature for thirteen weeks, deduced from the mean weekly temperature as returned from the Ordnance Survey Office, Phoenix Park was 47·8°; at Greenwich it was 47·3°; at Glasgow, 46·4°†; and at Edinburgh, 45·7°†.

The rainfall at Dublin during the thirteen weeks measured 7·23 inches; at Greenwich it was 3·90 inches; at Glasgow, 9·51 inches,† and at Edinburgh 7·28 inches.†

#### NINETEEN PRINCIPAL TOWN DISTRICTS OF IRELAND.

As shown in Table I., the annual death-rate, represented by the deaths from all causes registered during last quarter in the Dublin Registration Area and eighteen of the principal urban districts of Ireland (exclusive of deaths in public institutions of persons admitted from without the districts), was 14·5 per 1,000 of the population, the respective rates for the several districts being as follows, ranging in order from the lowest to the highest:—Tralee, 8·2; Wexford, 9·7; Drogheda, 12·2; Galway, 12·7; Cork, 12·8; Ballymena, 13·0; Belfast, 13·1; Lurgan, 13·1; Londonderry, 13·3; Kilkenny, 13·3; Lisburn, 13·6; Clonmel, 13·7; Waterford, 14·0; Sligo, 15·0; Dundalk, 15·5; Portadown, 15·7; Newry, 16·0; Dublin Registration Area, 16·5; and Limerick, 17·8.

The annual rate represented by the deaths from the principal epidemic diseases\* in the 19 districts is 1·1 per 1,000 of the population, the rates varying from 0·0 in four of the districts to 2·9 in Limerick, the 171 deaths from all causes for that district, including 4 from scarlet fever, 17 from diphtheria, 7 from diarrhoeal diseases, and one from influenza. The 1,371 deaths from all causes for Belfast include 8 from enteric fever, 3 from scarlet fever, 2 from whooping-cough, 8 from diphtheria, 56 from diarrhoeal diseases, and 21 from influenza.

PULMONARY TUBERCULOSIS.—The annual rate represented by the deaths from pulmonary tuberculosis for the 19 towns in the aggregate was 1·31 per 1,000 of the estimated population; for the Dublin Registration Area it was 1·42 per 1,000; for Belfast county borough 1·33 per 1,000, and for the urban districts collectively (not including Dublin Registration Area and Belfast), it was 1·15.

\* Enteric fever, typhus, small-pox, measles, scarlet fever, whooping-cough, diphtheria, dysentery, and diarrhoeal diseases.  
† Twelve weeks.



TABLE I.—BIRTHS and DEATHS Registered during the **Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 31st December, 1921**, in the Dublin Registration Area, and in each of the undermentioned Fifteen Urban Districts (exclusive of Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from other districts), the number of Deaths from some of the principal causes, and the number of Uncertified Deaths.

TOWNS AND DISTRICTS.		POPULATION.		Annual Rate per 1,000 persons Represented by		REGISTRATION—QUARTER (13 WEEKS) ENDED SATURDAY, 31ST DECEMBER, 1921.												NUMBERS REGISTERED.												
		Total.*	Per-sons to an Acre.	BIRTHS		DEATHS.		CAUSED BY																						
				From all Causes.	From certain Epidemic Diseases†	Total NUMBER.	Under 1 year of Age.	At 65 Years and upwards.	Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.			Tuberculosis.		Cancer.	Diseases of the Respiratory System.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 5 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.	Violence.	Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	No. of Uncertified Deaths.
																		Pulmonary.	Other Forms.	Pneumonia.	Other.									
TOTAL OF 19 TOWN DISTRICTS		1,183,268	20.7	24.2	14.5	14.1	7,151	4,284	715	1,108	14	1	43	18	19	65	1	71	388	194	284	421	441	158	14	125	163	1,352	133	
DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA		423,000	30.3	23.8	16.5	1.5	2,517	1,744	321	434	1	—	43	5	9	17	—	42	150	40	103	224	217	75	4	45	72	652	24	
CITY OF DUBLIN		324,000	39.7	25.5	17.8	1.7	2,068	1,441	293	308	—	—	43	3	9	17	—	32	121	34	78	201	188	67	2	32	62	535	17	
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR		41,100	21.0	15.1	11.1	0.8	158	117	7	50	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	14	1	9	10	10	—	—	—	1	44	1	
PEMBROKE		30,800	19.6	21.0	11.9	0.4	162	92	11	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	11	1	4	3	12	—	—	—	1	29	—	
BLACKROCK		9,800	9.0	13.5	9.8	—	33	24	1	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	2	1	—	—	—	1	8	—	
DUN LAOGHAIRE		17,300	11.8	22.2	16.2	0.5	96	70	9	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	—	—	6	3	1	—	—	4	16	3	
BELFAST		420,000	28.1	25.5	13.1	0.7	2,673	1,371	240	344	8	—	—	3	2	2	—	21	110	37	95	120	131	50	6	65	70	361	25	
CORK		76,673	28.6	25.1	13.8	1.4	481	246	35	67	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	23	5	30	12	17	—	—	—	3	104	15	
LONDONDERRY		45,000	17.4	25.1	13.3	1.1	294	150	29	36	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	13	4	8	18	13	—	—	—	1	13	6	
LIMERICK		38,518	16.1	23.5	17.8	2.9	226	171	23	37	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	3	9	6	21	6	—	—	—	4	3	
WATERFORD		27,461	19.1	19.8	14.0	1.0	136	96	10	27	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	3	10	3	3	1	—	—	—	1	8	3
GALWAY		13,269	2.9	23.5	12.7	0.3	78	42	7	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	2	2	1	1	—	—	—	1	13	—
DUNDALK		13,128	9.5	21.2	12.1	0.3	76	51	6	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6	1	1	6	3	—	—	—	—	1	11	—
LURGAN		12,553	14.7	20.5	12.1	—	63	38	3	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	6	4
DROGHEDA		12,388	17.0	25.4	13.6	—	83	42	7	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	7	1
LISBURN		11,963	17.0	25.4	13.6	—	76	48	5	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	7	1
NEWRY		11,963	17.0	25.4	13.6	—	61	46	9	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	7	1
PORTADOWN		11,727	18.3	25.4	13.6	—	57	28	6	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	7	1
WEXFORD		11,531	22.8	27.4	13.0	2.1	57	28	6	11	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	—
BALLYMENA		11,381	9.8	17.9	13.0	—	78	42	2	13	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	—
SLIGO		11,163	3.8	16.7	13.3	0.8	50	44	4	16	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	—
KILKENNY		10,514	17.4	17.9	13.3	—	46	21	2	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	—
TRALEE		10,300	17.4	17.9	13.3	—	46	21	2	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	—
CLONMEL		10,209	7.8	19.9	13.7	—	33	35	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	10	—

\* According to the Census of 1911, but in the cases of the Districts comprising the Dublin Registration Area, and for the Cities of Belfast and Londonderry, the Population given is that estimated to the middle of 1921.  
† See note (\*) on page 416b.  
a) Including one death from cerebro-spinal meningitis for Dublin and 3 for Belfast.

TABLE II.—Showing for the Quarter (13 weeks) ended 31st December, 1921, the number of DEATHS of Residents of the several REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS in the DUBLIN REGISTRATION AREA, the annual Rate per 1,000 of the Population of the respective Districts represented thereby, and by the Deaths from the principal Epidemic Diseases\*; with the Mortality from some of the principal causes; also the Deaths at certain age-periods, and the number of Uncertified Deaths; the Deaths in Public Institutions being assigned to the Districts from which the deceased were admitted.

REGISTRATION OF DEATHS, QUARTER (13 WEEKS) ENDED SATURDAY, 31ST DECEMBER, 1921.																																					
DEATHS.																																					
REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, &c.			AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM															In In-stitutions.			Number of Uncertified Deaths.						
			Annual Rate of Mortality per 1,000 Living re-presented by Deaths.		AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM																						
					AGES AT DEATH.										DEATHS FROM																						
ESTI-MATED POPU-LATION TO MIDDLE OF 1921.	Cols.	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)	(32)	(33)	(34)		
North City.																																					
NORTH CITY, No. 1 E.	..	31,300	21.1	2.4	165	42	11	11	7	4	18	39	33	—	—	—	4	—	1	—	—	5	13	2	11	25	24	10	1	4	62	10	30	12	1		
" " 2 W.	..	42,900	26.8	4.1	287	62	41	30	6	15	31	46	56	—	—	—	21	—	5	—	—	6	23	4	13	50	32	9	1	4	111	9	69	34	3		
" " 3	..	28,700	18.7	2.6	134	27	19	12	6	4	24	24	18	—	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	1	11	6	3	23	24	1	—	—	47	1	30	13	1		
CLONTARF AND HOWTH No. 1, part of.	..	35,600	15.2	0.9	135	27	8	5	1	9	22	32	31	—	—	—	2	—	—	—	—	4	14	3	11	18	12	4	—	—	65	3	40	9	1		
" " 2	..	5,700	13.3	—	19	2	—	—	2	1	1	6	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	1	1	2	2	—	—	2	9	2	2	1	1		
COOLock AND DRUMCONDRA, part of.	..	14,200	9.6	0.6	34	7	—	1	1	—	9	7	9	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	2	2	1	2	—	—	—	22	—	11	1	1		
FINGLAS AND GLASNEVIN, part of.	..	11,600	6.9	0.3	20	2	1	—	2	1	5	5	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	—	3	1	3	—	—	1	7	3	5	1	—		
South City.																																					
SOUTH CITY, No. 1	..	44,900	14.8	1.2	166	31	7	4	5	10	27	35	47	—	—	—	3	—	3	—	—	2	16	2	10	16	19	8	—	—	6	81	8	34	41	1	
" " 2	..	18,900	18.0	1.7	85	13	5	4	5	5	10	27	16	—	—	—	3	—	2	—	—	—	8	2	3	8	18	3	—	—	2	36	4	24	20	—	
" " 3	..	45,200	18.2	0.9	206	36	11	10	9	8	24	57	51	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7	13	5	11	27	33	8	—	—	4	96	9	56	39	3	
" " 4	..	34,200	19.1	1.6	163	40	13	10	6	8	24	31	31	—	—	—	3	1	1	5	—	7	10	6	8	28	16	4	—	—	7	67	13	52	18	4	
NEW KILMAINHAM	..	10,800	10.0	0.7	27	4	1	2	2	2	4	7	5	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	4	1	2	2	3	—	—	—	2	11	—	10	3	1	
Urban Districts.																																					
RATHMINES AND RATHGAR	..	41,100	11.4	0.8	117	7	—	2	4	7	23	24	50	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	3	14	1	9	10	10	5	—	—	5	57	4	38	6	1	
PEMBROKE	..	30,800	11.9	0.4	92	11	2	2	5	6	14	19	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	5	11	1	9	5	12	2	—	—	1	45	1	19	10	2	
BLACKROCK	..	9,800	9.8	—	24	1	—	1	1	1	4	6	10	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	4	2	2	—	—	—	2	11	1	6	2	1	
DUN LAOGHAIRE	..	17,300	13.2	0.5	70	9	1	1	1	1	10	14	33	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	3	2	3	6	5	—	—	—	5	42	4	11	5	3	
Total City.																																					
North	..	170,000	18.7	2.2	794	169	80	59	25	34	110	159	158	—	—	—	34	2	4	9	—	16	70	18	44	120	99	43	1	11	323	28	187	71	8		
South	..	154,000	16.8	1.2	647	124	37	30	27	33	89	157	150	—	—	—	9	1	5	8	—	16	51	16	34	81	89	24	1	21	291	34	176	121	9		
North and South	..	324,000	17.8	1.7	1,441	293	117	89	52	67	199	316	308	—	—	—	43	3	9	17	—	32	121	34	78	201	188	67	2	32	614	62	363	192	17		
Total Urban Districts	..	99,000	12.2	0.5	303	28	3	6	11	15	51	63	126	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	29	6	25	23	29	8	2	13	155	10	74	23	7		
Total Registration Area	..	423,000	16.5	1.5	1,744	321	120	95	63	82	250	379	434	1	—	—	43	5	9	17	—	42	150	40	103	224	217	75	4	45	769	72	437	215	24		
Deaths in Institutions of Persons admitted from without the Registration Area (not included in above).																																					
	..				165	18	4	5	12	19	35	49	23	—	—	—	—	—	—	8	—	—	9	7	22	8	4	5	—	3	99	2	155	10	—		



TABLE III.—Showing, by REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS, the NUMBER of BIRTHS and DEATHS in the CITIES (or URBAN DISTRICTS) of BELFAST and CORK, registered during the QUARTER (13 weeks) ENDED 31st DECEMBER, 1921, Deaths in Public Institutions of Persons admitted from without each City being omitted and all other deaths in Institutions distributed according to the localities from which the deceased persons were admitted ; with the ANNUAL RATE\* of MORTALITY per 1,000 of the population according to the Census of 1911, represented by the deaths from All Causes and from certain Epidemic Diseases; the Number of the Deaths at certain AGE PERIODS ; the Number of Deaths from the Principal CAUSES ; the Number of Uncertified Deaths, &c.

CITIES AND REGISTRARS' DISTRICTS.										DEATHS.																						
Census Population in 1911.	No. of BIRTHS.	Annual Rate* of Mortality per 1,000 of the Population in 1911 represented by Deaths from		AGES AT DEATH.								DEATHS FROM																Inquest Cases.	No. of Deaths in Public Institutions.	Number of Uncertified Deaths.		
		All Causes.	Certain Epi- demic Diseases†	Total Number of DEATHS.								Enteric Fever.	Typhus.	Small-pox.	Measles.	Scarlet Fever.	Whooping-cough.	Diphtheria.	Dysentery.	Influenza.	TUBER- CULOSIS.		Cancer.	DISEASES OF THE RESPIRATORY SYSTEM.		Diarrhoea and Enteritis of children under 2 years of age.	Diarrhoea, 2 years of age and upwards.				Violence.	
				(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)										(11)	(12)		(13)	(14)							(15)
CITY OF BELFAST.		(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	(22)	(23)	(24)	(25)	(26)	(27)	(28)	(29)	(30)	(31)
BELFAST URBAN No. 1 District	15,879	128	18·6	1·3	74	16	10	5	9	23	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-	8	10	2	5	-	11	8	23	2
Do. 2	49,500	303	14·5	0·5	180	30	13	17	28	48	44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	16	6	11	14	12	3	-	16	18	57	2
Do. 3	50,032	334	14·2	0·6	178	30	12	21	27	36	52	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	15	5	16	18	18	7	-	5	9	51	4
Do. 4	32,637	200	15·0	1·2	122	33	7	14	12	26	30	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	10	4	2	7	9	13	2	2	4	4	55	2
Do. 5	16,112	128	20·1	0·7	81	11	7	5	18	19	21	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	9	2	8	11	13	2	-	5	6	28	1
Do. 6	37,293	193	12·2	0·2	114	7	7	14	21	28	37	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	6	8	7	9	13	1	-	1	2	23	1
Do. 7	2,681	17	11·9	1·5	8	1	1	2	2	2	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	-	-	-	3	-
Do. 8	5,984	47	11·4	2·0	17	5	-	4	2	2	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	1	1	3	2	1	-	-	1	-
Do. 9	24,427	192	13·3	1·0	81	10	7	6	15	27	16	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	10	1	7	12	12	3	4	1	2	2	12	1
Do. 10	28,958	199	13·4	0·7	97	23	4	10	15	26	19	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	17	4	7	5	12	4	-	3	3	17	2
Do. 11	-	228	-	-	103	15	4	14	15	15	40	2	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	12	4	6	10	10	7	6	2	1	1	20	3
Do. 12	-	216	-	-	99	19	10	14	15	22	19	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	11	4	9	9	10	2	1	1	12	30	8
Do. 13	-	127	-	-	56	5	1	4	3	21	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	5	2	4	-	-	-	-	8	-
Do. 14	175	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	3	-	-	6	-	-	3	2	23	2
Do. 15	22,669	198	16·9	1·6	96	21	2	12	21	19	9	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	9	-	7	9	8	1	-	3	3	10	2
Do. 16	-	162	-	-	65	15	4	10	10	17	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	7	-	-	-	-	-	23	2
Total,	386,947	2,673	13·1	0·7	1,371	240	89	152	213	333	344	8	-	-	-	3	2	8	-	-	21	140	37	95	120	131	50	6	65	70	361	25
CITY OF CORK.																																
CORK URBAN No. 1 District	13,455	67	15·2	0·3	51	2	-	7	12	15	15	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	1	9	2	2	-	-	-	-	26	1
Do. 2	10,399	86	11·9	1·9	31	7	5	1	4	9	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	4	3	2	1	1	-	10	3
Do. 3	9,793	72	11·0	2·9	27	4	2	4	6	5	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	2	4	2	2	-	-	-	14	6
Do. 4	9,139	51	15·3	0·9	35	3	2	5	3	10	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	4	2	2	-	-	-	17	-
Do. 5	6,250	36	9·6	1·3	15	4	1	-	-	6	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	5	-
Do. 6	11,581	77	11·1	1·4	32	4	5	3	3	6	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	1	2	2	-	-	-	11	-
Do. 7	16,056	92	13·7	1·5	55	11	5	6	3	16	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	1	6	1	6	3	-	1	1	21	5
Total .	76,673	481	12·8	1·4	246	35	20	26	31	67	67	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	23	5	30	12	17	10	-	2	3	104	15

\* The rates for the total of Belfast City are calculated on the population estimated to the middle of the year 1921. † See note (\*) on page 416b.

NOTE.—The combined population (Census 1911) of Belfast Urban, Nos. 11, 12, 13 and 16 districts is 100,620, the population of each of these districts not being available; death-rate from all causes 12.8 per 1,000 and from certain epidemic diseases 0.8.

TABLE IV.—Showing in FIVE GENERAL CLASSES and EIGHTEEN GROUPS the OCCUPATIONS or SOCIAL POSITION of the PERSONS whose DEATHS were registered in the Dublin Registration Area during the Quarter (13 weeks) ended Saturday, 31st December, 1921; and the Annual Death rate represented by the Deaths registered.

Class.	OCCUPATION OR SOCIAL POSITION. [The 31,318 persons returned under the head " Unspecified " in Table 73 of the General Report on the Census have been distributed <i>pro rata</i> among the several groups to which they most probably belonged.)	Population in each Class and Group in 1911.	Annual Death Rate per 1,000 of the Population in 1911.	Total Number of Deaths.
	ALL PERSONS .. .. .	397,957	—	1,909
	CLASSES. Deaths in Families of the—			
I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. .. .. .	14,658	—	41
II.	MIDDLE CLASS .. .. .	101,798	—	388
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS .. .. .	108,420	—	384
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS .. .. .	167,479	—	871
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES .. .. .	5,602	—	225

I.	PROFESSIONAL AND INDEPENDENT CLASS. 1. Clerical, Medical, Legal, and other Professions: Naval and Military Officers and Heads of Public Departments .. 2. Merchants and Manufacturers, Higher Class .. 3. Persons of Rank and Property, not otherwise described ..	7,868 1,347 5,443	11·2 {	38 1 2
II.	MIDDLE CLASS 4. General Body of Officials—Civil Service, Banking, &c. .. 5. Traders (except Petty Shopkeepers), Business Managers, &c. .. 6. Clerks and Commercial Assistants .. .. 7. Miscellaneous—including all Householders in Second Class Localities, not included in above .. .. .	9,523 25,199 33,249 33,827	15·2 {	25 82 111 170
III.	ARTISAN CLASS AND PETTY SHOPKEEPERS. 8. Working Engineers, Engravers, Printers, Watchmakers, and Jewellers .. .. . 9. Building and Furnishing Trades .. .. . 10. Clothing Trades .. .. . 11. Food Supply Trades .. .. . 12. Other Trades and Callings ranking with Trades .. .. 13. Petty Shopkeepers .. .. .	11,777 28,823 20,026 8,952 32,070 6,772	14·2 {	51 93 41 21 164 14
IV.	GENERAL SERVICE CLASS. 14. Army, Police, Postal Delivery, and Prison Services, &c. .. 15. Domestic Servants .. .. . 16. Coach and Car Drivers, Vanmen, &c. .. .. 17. Hawkers, Porters, Labourers, &c. .. .. .	12,977 36,041 15,380 103,081	20·8 {	91 88 70 622
V.	INMATES OF WORKHOUSES. 18. Workhouse Inmates .. .. .	5,602	—	225

TABLE V.—Showing the NUMBER OF CASES of the undermentioned DISEASES treated in Dublin Hospitals during the QUARTER (13 weeks) ENDED SATURDAY, 31st December, 1921.

DISEASES.	No. of Cases in Hospital at close of previous quarter.	No. admitted during quarter.	Discharged.	Died.	No. under treatment on above date.
ENTERIC FEVER, ...	18	26	30	1	13
TYPHUS, ...	.	1	.	1	.
SMALL-POX, ...	.	.	.	.	.
MEASLES, ...	9	72	54	5	22
SCARLET FEVER, ...	41	144	144	5	36*
DIPHTHERIA, ...	32	142	113	24	37
PNEUMONIA, ...	19	94	63	17	33

\* Exclusive of 18 patients in Beneavin, the Convalescent Home of Cork Street Fever Hospital.

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